

Maple Leaves
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My First Year At M.R.H.



Judy Leighton

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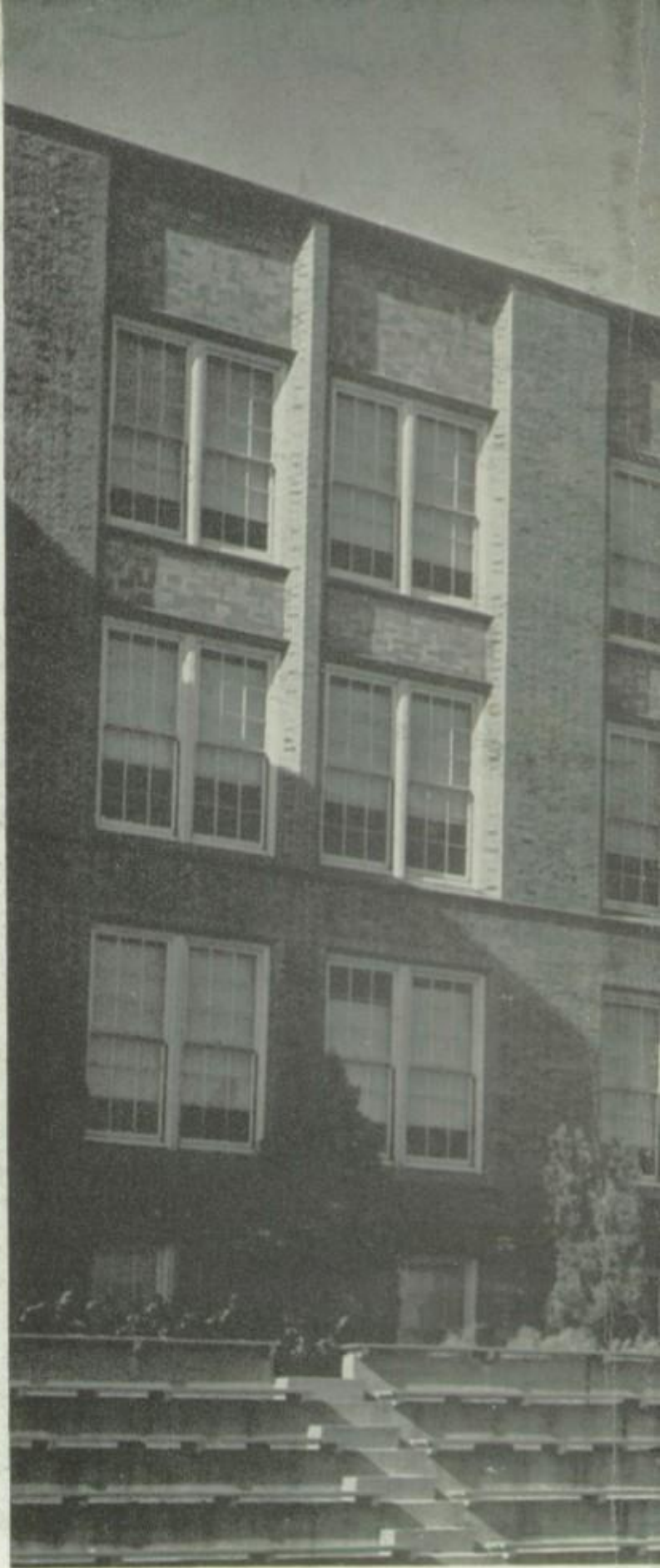


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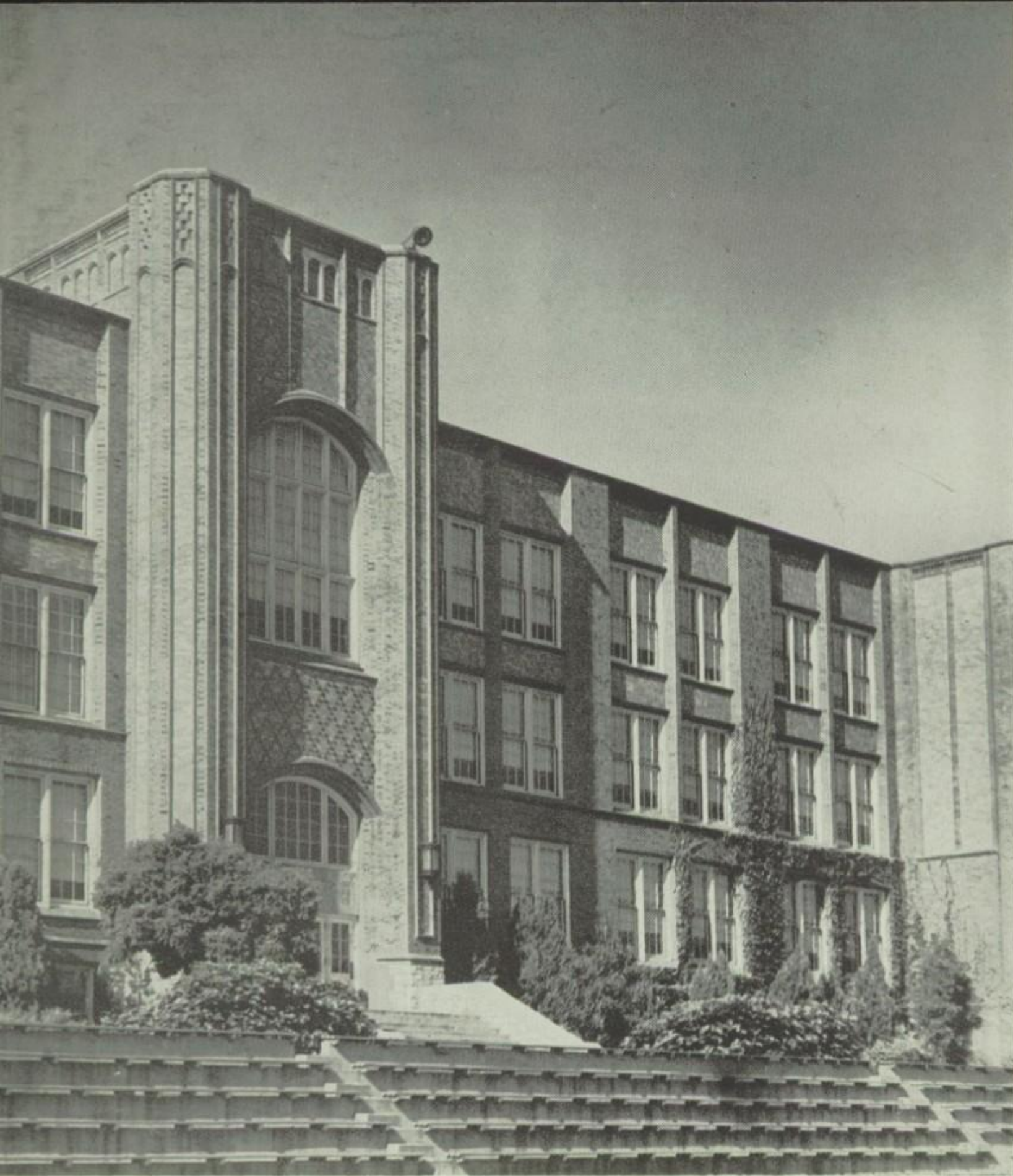
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within the pages of this book,
the events of a year in



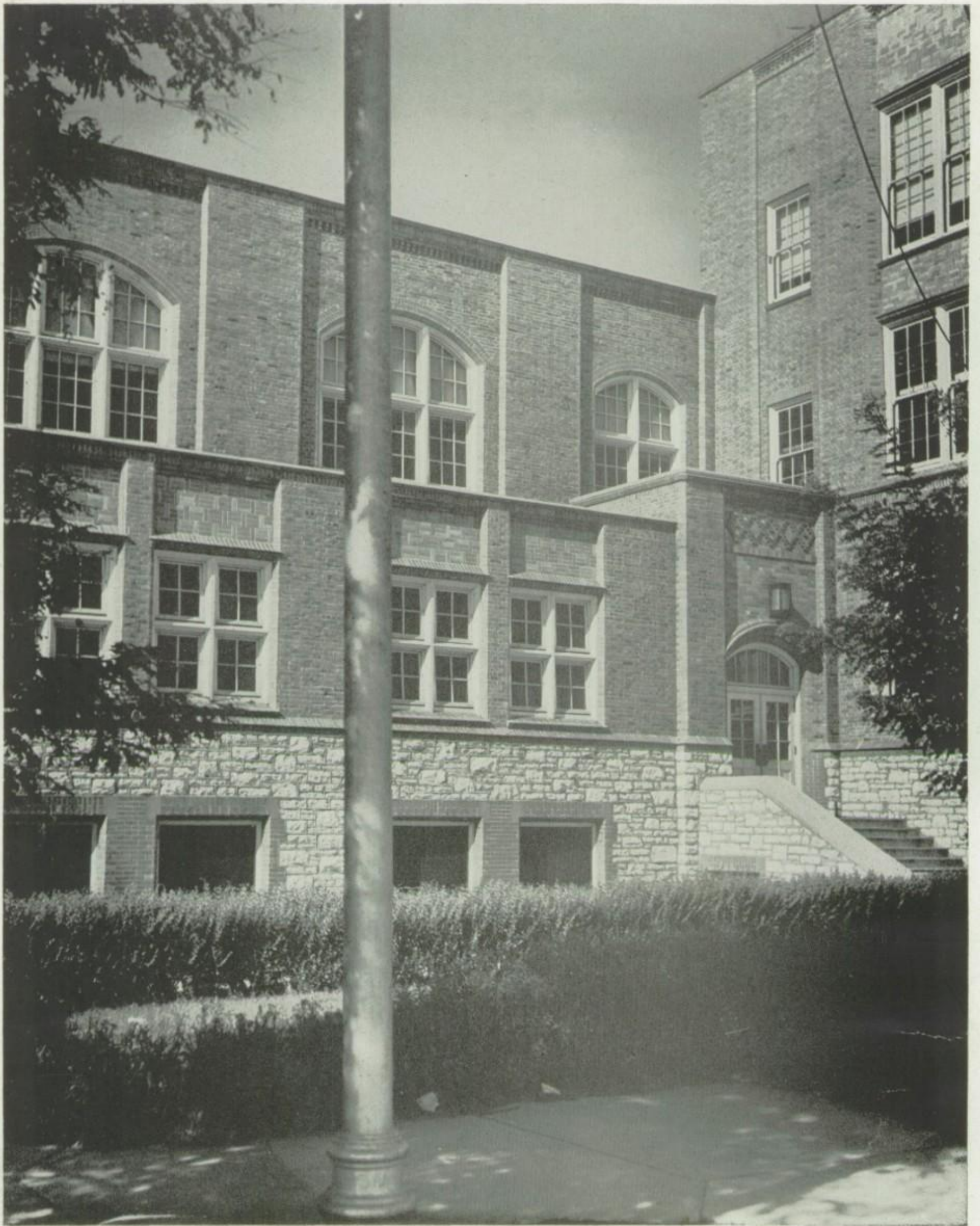
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Where fun and laughter
are part of the whirl
In which lucky boy
meets beautiful girl.



American High School

Like thousands of others in this Democracy of ours, where boys and girls have the opportunity to share work and play, success and failure, happiness and sorrow in that great process of preparing for a fuller, richer life.



*"All the glory, laud and honor,
M.R.H., we give to you."*

Behold Our World Unfolds

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With pride and humility to the youth of the Maplewood-Richmond Heights Schools who have given their lives in this war, to whose memory the free songs and open books of American schools will forever be consecrated.

*"Comrades true, born anew, peace to you!
Your souls shall be where the heroes are
And your memory shine like the morning star."*



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THE soundest assurance that our way of life may be constantly revitalized is a democratically functioning School Board, composed of citizens earnestly concerned with educational needs, a forthright Superintendent, and a Principal whose high ideals and meritorious efforts maintain our high curricular standing.

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THESE, our conscientious administrators, members of the M.R.H. School Board, Mr. Adams, our Superintendent, and Mr. Vossbrink, our Principal, have smoothed the way for whatever distinction we may have achieved, and it is to them we are indebted for the continuance of our precious heritage, the typical American high school.



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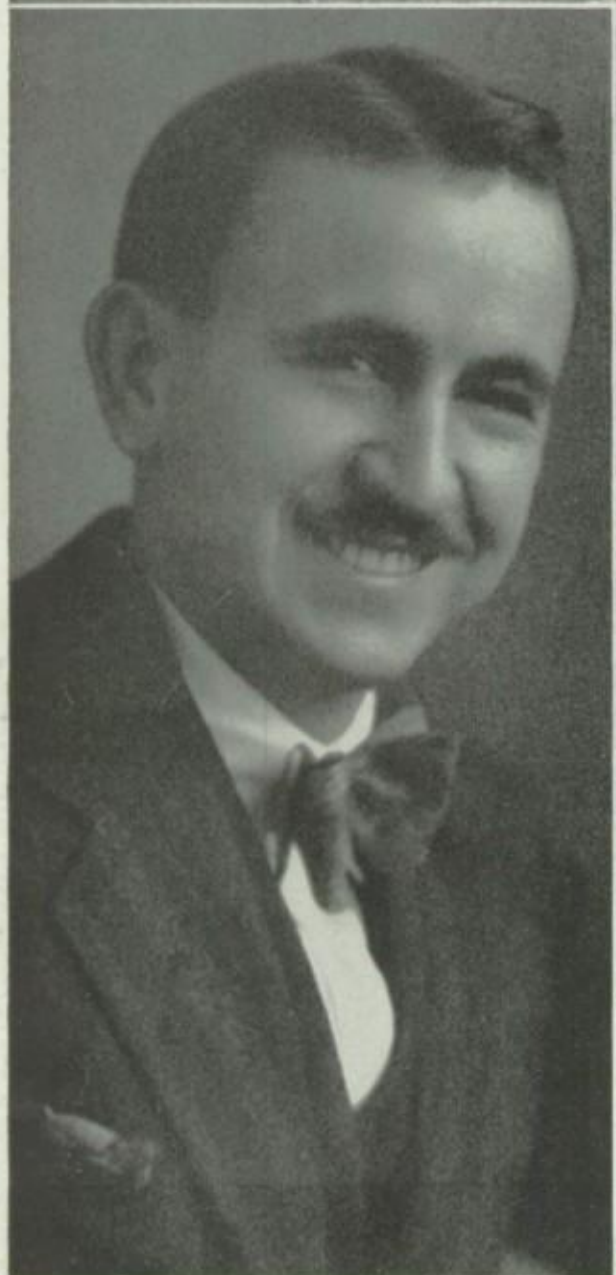
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WHEN THEY WERE YOUNG AND GAY

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First Row: Best, Roberts, Baillie, Vossbrink, Wilkerson, Boehm, Link, Dubry.

Second Row: Sharp, Nickles, Rounseville, Murch, Lenox, Leek, Lionberger, LaVoiz, Elgasser, Barkley.

Third Row: Carter, Nollner, Miller, Welden, C. Brown, E. Brown, Peters, Hamlin, Yackel, Robinson, Herman, Brase, Smith, Coy.

Fourth Row: Del Pizzo, Larason, Whitworth, Rosevear, McClanahan, Robertson, Funke, Craig, Rath, Jacobs, Fischer.



Growth



GROWTH means the broadening of intellect, the quickening of sympathies, the deepening of community. Here within the confines of M.R.H. grows a vast field of young sprouts. We talk with others, we share their gripe, their gaiety, their gloom. In classrooms we read together Cæsar and Chaucer; together we wait with tickling tongues for the final bell. Always there is a feeling of belonging, securely and happily, to a society of youthful association. With that our nutriment, we grow and ripen together in the fertile soil of school life.

Through Association



First Row: Roland Dapron, Margie Rose, Mr. Del Pizzo, Mary Lou Cook, Warren Couch, Barbara Ingold.
Second Row: Stanley Hrach, Harold Watzig, Martha Moon, Doris Abernathy, Bob Garrett, Mary Brady.

Senior Executive Committee



BIG SHOTS

THE responsibility for directing and managing the affairs of the senior class rests with the S.E.C. This group, elected by the seniors, has functioned democratically and admirably this year in effecting and planning the Senior Football Dance, selecting class rings and preparing for the great day, graduation. Those chosen to the committee were: Stanley Hrach, Martha Moon, Mary Brady, Bob Garrett, Mary Lou Cook, Barbara Ingold, and Warren Couch.

When matters of importance came up (usually about the beginning of sixth hour on dull days) Mr. Del Pizzo, adviser excellent to the class, called the four officers to meet with the committee. The officers were: Harold (Oh, to be a football hero) Watzig, President; Margie Rose, Vice-President; Doris Abernathy, Secretary; and Roland Dapron, Treasurer.

We are indeed indebted to this group for a successful year, so may we take this space to say to them, "Thanks a million!!"

Affectionately Yours

Joan Steward—sweet individuality—Billie Steward
Bill Childress—baby-blond mop—Bob Striler
Mary Brady and Margie Rose—cute from head to toe—Audrey Crosby and Janet Barnard
Jack Olson—rattlin' rattletrap—Fred Cody
Carol Ellison—Queen of M.R.H.—Jane Kelly
Harold Watzig—King of M.R.H.—Bill Couch
Martha Moon—that Annual office again—Sue Hamlin and Helen East.
Pat Queenan—dice 'n' poker deck—Jack Neise
Bob Johnson—ability to grow up and not across—Jim Spiros
Barbara Ingold—brains 'n' common sense—Jeanine Bellows
Bob Pohle—Pepsodent smile—Pat Dolan
Doris Abernathy and Alvera Heller—sportin' ways—Jane Lloyd and "Mac" Cavanaugh
Mark Wolters—M.R.H. brain trust—Jack Carlson
Eileen Costello—everybody's sweetheart—Betty Toliver
Dave Wind—his technique—at basketball—Don Hagemann
Faye Clover—date book—Judy Leighton
Jim Straubinger—wanderitis—Charles Notter
Audrey Jahrand—great big beautiful eyes—Margie Garrett
Nick Mahoney and Louis Altemeyer—seat in corner of library—J. D. Schuler and Harold Taylor
Sue Morten and Regina Gooch—sweet silence—Shirley Brown and Mickey LaVoie
Stan Hrach—exec ability—Jim Mullally (of Basement Town fame)
Gordon McAdow—tremendous appetite—"Skinny" Hayes
Gladys Doyle—"Tootsie" of M.R.H.—Marilyn Burger
Bob Garrett—terrific, titanic technique at wrestling—Don Spitznagle-Bob Lambert
Dot Henderson—witty comebacks—Nell Schulz
Charlie Prince—"Prince" Charming—Jack Diesel
Alice Chaney and Jean Clampitt—their hold on the Torch—Dot Welden and Ann DuBois
Stan Zerman—permanent wave—Harold McNeil
Richard Koester—diet list—Frank Burke
Dottie Scheidt—"Gobs" of love for the Navy—Janis Geselchap and Martha Whitehill
Roland Schikore—that ol' corn wit—Don Beimdiek
Nadine Keeney—long, luscious tresses—Betty Griffith
Wayne Frisinger—wolf technique—Alex Horvat
Billie Magruder—dreams in khaki—our other dreamers
Ken Dent and Carol Hicks—swell guys 'n' super athletes—Bob Ellis and Robert Higgins
Doris Schaeffer—"Sweet and Lovely"—Margo Murray
Mary Lou Cook and Mary Ellen Brockman—fashion plate clothes—Adrienne Rettaire
Vel Turner and Bill Jones—brain storms and foggy notions—Harold Susman and Herb Kaufman
Laurel Schramm—literary ability—Helen East and Pat Lay
George Diesel and Bob Bell—poise and reserve—Bob Billmeyer
Virginia Keller—dark charm—Betty Alexander
LeRoy Vogts and Ken Wolf—fine fellas—Dick Andrews and Bill Babbitt
Joan Hohmann—vitamin pill pep—Joyce Lauritson
Joe Polinski—wilting brown eyes—Jim Frisinger
Dick Hencken—darling crew cut—Brad Stevens and Bud Babbitt
Bud Lore—gridiron "rep"—Ed Frahm
Esther Roberts—last of a long line—Mary Buchroeder
Johnny Pulliam—sharp sox—Jack Monahan
Jack Seiler—mirror-shined oxbloods—Bud Emmons
Roland Dapron—tall, tan beauty—Terry Allen and Bud Aubuchon

Seniors

Class of
January,
'45

RUTH BOLLMEIER

The town was at her twinkling feet.
G.A.A. 1,2,3; G.R. 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2; Class Sec. 4.

DOROTHY CARPENTER

*Good disposition, keen mind—
A secretarial find.*
Bowling 2; Band 2,3,4; Greggites 3,4; G.R. 3,4; G.A.A. 3,4; Torch 4.

EARLINE DAUGHETEE

*Brains and skills galore—
What is more she's not a bore.*
G.A.A. 1; Hockey 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 2,3; Rostrum 3; Torch 3,4.

DORIS MAE GIEBEL

*Because of you we will be glad and
gay
And meet life with a song.*
G.R. 1,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Hockey 2,4; Greggites 3,4; G.A.A. 4; Class Treas. 4.

SHIRLEY NULL

*Stately and tall,
She moved through the hall.*
G.A.A. 1; G.R. 1; Bowling 3,4.

MARJORIE PARSONS

*New eras in her brain.
New heights she'll soon attain.*
G.A.A. 1, Cabinet 2; Glee Club 1; A Cappella 1,2,3, Treas. 2; Basketball 1,2; Hockey 1; Volleyball 2; All School Assembly Comm. 1; Annual 1,2, Assoc. Ed. 3,4; Torch 3, Vice-Pres. 4; Ribbon-Bearer 3; Pres. of Jan. 1945 Class.

ROSEMARY F. BLAIR

There's poetry in her soul.
All School Assembly Comm. 1; Annual 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; Glee Club 1,2; G.R. 1,2,3,4.

ALLEN BRINKMEYER

Blushing a specialty!
A Cappella 1,2,3; Track 4.

ARLINE CLEMENT

Happy as the day is long!
G.A.A. 1; Pep Club 1,2; Roller Skating Club, Treas. 2; Science Club 1,2.

PAUL FARRELL

*He worries not,
He hurries not.*

PATRICIA MITCHELL

*I like girls with long hair,
I also like a bob.
But red hair is the most fair,
It's different from the mob.*
Entered from Brentwood High 3; Bowling 3; Hees 4.

BETTY JANE OLSEN

*Her merry twinkles
Will delay the wrinkles*
G.R. 1; Glee Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; Roller Skating Club 2.

SUSAN RICE

Sagacious Susan!
G.R. 1, 2; Cabinet 3,4; Glee Club 1,2; A Cappella 1,2,3; Rostrum 3; Torch 3,4.

Seniors

BERNICE RIGGS

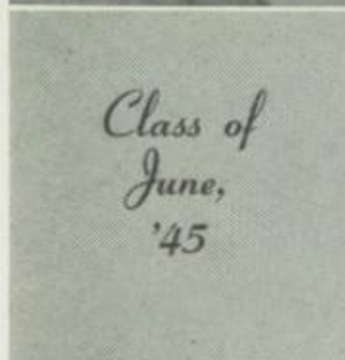
Heartbeat.

A Cappella 2,3.



MARGARET VOLA

Serious but friendly.



*Class of
June,
'45*



DORIS ABERNATHY

She tops them all.

G.A.A. 1,2, Cabinet 3, Treas. 4; G.R. 1; Bowling 2,3,4; Pep Club 2; Basketball 2,3; Volleyball 2,3; Hockey 2,3,4; Class Sec. 4.

GENE ABERNATHY

Athletic ability superb!

Football 1,2,3; Track 1,2,3; Bowling 1,2,3; Hi-Y 2,3; "M" Club 3,4.



THERESA (TERRY) AHERN

"Merry Terry."

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.R. 1,2,3,4; Hockey 1,2,3; Basketball 4.

LOUIS ALTEMEYER

No room for gloom.

"B" Football 2,3; Track 3,4; Wrestling 4.



STUART AVERA

Quiet and reserved.

Bowling 3; Band 1,2,3,4.

BOB BELL

He rings true to us.

Bowling 1,2,3; Annual 4; Rostum 4; "B" Football 1,2; Track 3.



RONALD BENDER

Although Ronald came to us this year,

He's a grad from whom we'll hear.

Entered from Phillips, Texas 4; Photography Club 1; Science Club 2; Band 1,2.

BETTY BERRESHEIM

Glad that I live am I.

Orchestra 1,2,3,4, Sec. 3; Assembly Comm. 1; Greggites 4. Comm. 1; Greggites 4.



MARY BILLINGTON

Art is the wine of life.

Entered from Paseo High School, Kansas City, Missouri 4; Basketball 4.

CHARLES BOTT

I crave mental exaltation!

GLORIA BOTT

Very vivacious!

Entered from Payson, Utah 4; G.R. 1; G.A.A. 4; Pep Club 3; Rifle Club 3; Thespian Club 2,3; Orchestra 1,4; Band 4; School Play 2,3; Queen Candidate 3.

*Good luck and best wishes
Mary Billington*

Seniors

CORINNE BOWDEN

Happy are those who make others happy.

Glee Club 1,2,4; Rostrum 1,2,3; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.R. 1,2; Annual 1,3,4; Hockey 3.



GEORGIA BOYHER

Excels in practical things.
Bowling 2.

MARY BRADY

Those endearing young charms.

Hockey 1; Basketball 1; G.A.A. 1; Glee Club 1; Prom. Comm. 3; Ribbon-Bearer 3; Sr. Ex. Comm. 4.



MONICA BRODHAGE

Always smiling, never glum.
G.R. 1; Skating Club 2; Science Club 3; Annual 3,4.

BARBARA BROEDER

*Dainty and nice,
Perfection on ice.*

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1; Glee Club 1,4; A Cappella 1,2,3,4; Annual 1,4.



JOSEPHINE BUMPASS

*Ever ladylike, never loud,
She holds her own in any crowd.*
Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Annual 4.

MARCELLA BUMPASS

*Same old slippers,
Same old rice,
Same old glimpse of paradise.*

Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Annual 4; Ribbon-Bearer 3.



WANDA LEE BYRD

*Good looking with an enviable way
all her own.*

Entered from Beaumont 4; Greggites 4; Student Council 1.

ALICE CHANEY

Quality in all she does.

Pep Club 1; G.R. 1,2,3; Cabinet 4; Skating Club 2; Glee Club 1,2,4; Basketball 4; Jr. Sr. Prom. Comm. 3; Annual 4; Torch 3,4.



JEAN CHILDERS

Personality Plus.

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.R. 1; Pep Club 1; A Cappella 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 3,4; Bowling 2,3; Assembly Comm. 2; All County Choir 3,4; Jr. Prom Comm. 3; Sr. Dance Comm. 4.

WILLIAM E. CHILDRESS

A blonde smoothie!

Track 1,3,4; Hi-Y 2; A Cappella 3,4; All County Chorus 4.



EMMA JEAN CLAMPITT

Don't call her "Emmy."

Entered from Holcomb, Kansas 3; G.R. 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2; Glee Club 1,2,4; Chorus 1,2; Varsity Basketball 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 4; Jr. Sr. Prom Comm. 3; Annual 4; Torch 4.

NELSON CLARK

*A tall red-headed fellow
With disposition mellow.*

Bowling 2,3; Chess Club 1,2; Math Club 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 2,3,4; Clarinet Quartette 3.



DAN COAD

Dan's a true gentleman.
Band 3,4.

Seniors

OLIVE COLEMAN

*Always jolly,
That's our Olly!*

G.A.A. 2,4; Band 2,3,4; Roller Skating Club 2; Bowling 4; Hockey 2,4; Basketball 2,4; Sr. Dance Comm.; War Bond Sales Comm.; Volleyball 4.



JAMES COLVIN

His smile belongs to the Navy now.
Rifle Club 2,3; Science Club 2,3.

KATHERYN CONAWAY

*Like the stars in the sky,
There's a twinkle in her eye.*

Entered from Blewett 2; Hecs 4; Bowling 4.



MARYLOU COOK

*Don't blame me for what I've said,
It all just came out of my head!*

Entered from Webster 2; G.A.A. 2,3,4; G.R. 2, Treas. 3, Pres. 4; A Cappella 2,3, Sec. 4; Glee Club 2, Treas. 3, Pres. 4; Volleyball 3,4; Annual 2,3, Sr. Sect. Ed. 4; Torch, Vice-Pres. 4; All County Choir 4; Jr. Prom Comm. 3; Jr. Prom Maid 3; Sr. Football Dance Comm. 4; Sr. Exec. Comm.

MARY LOUISE CORLEY

I love a soldier.

Entered from Clayton 4; Latin Club 1; G.A.A. 1,2,3; Hockey 1,2,3; Volleyball 1,2,3; Basketball 1; Bowling 4.



EILEEN COSTELLO

*Dine-able, Date-able, Dance-able
you!*

G.A.A. 1,2,3, Cabinet 4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; G.R. 1,2; Annual 1,2,3,4; Hockey 2,3,4; Basketball 2,4; Sr. Dance Maid 2,3; Jr. Prom. Comm. 3; Football Dance Maid 3.

WARREN COUCH

*Mr. Esquire has nothing on
Warren.*

Band 1,2,3, Treas. 4; Cornet Quartet 1; Hi-Y 2; Track 2,3,4; "M" Club Sec. 4; Math Club Sec. 4; Sr. Exec. Comm. Orchestra 1,2,3.



SHIRLEY CREWS

Little, cute, and blonde, to boot.

ESTELLE DANIEL

Stars in your eyes.

Bowling 4; Basketball 1,2, Varsity 4; Volleyball Varsity 1,2, 3,4.



ROLAND G. DAPRON

*No matter where the body goes,
The mind is free to go elsewhere.*

A Cappella 1,2,3, Treas. 4; "B" Football 1,2, Varsity 3,4; Wrestling 2,3,4; Track 3,4; Class Treas. 4.

NEDRA DEARDORFF

*Clever perky conversation,
Filled with animation!*

G.R. 3,4.



TOM DEMPSEY

Pressing forward, sure of achievement.

Entered from Classen High School, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 4.

KENNETH DENT

*Adequate in all particulars,
He excels in extra-curriculars.*

Entered from Joplin, Missouri 4; Band 4; Varsity Basketball 4.



GEORGE DIESEL

*Good sense and good nature
combined.*

Bowling 2,3; Band 2.

*So a very sweet girl -
Sweet and home
- Eileen Costello*

Seniors

BETTY JANE DUES

Dramatic Dues!

Entered from St. Elizabeth's Academy 3; Annual 4.



MADELINE DUNHAM

*Because in sports she does excel,
In life's game she's sure to do well.*
Volleyball 2,3; Hockey 2, Varsity 3,4; Basketball 2, Varsity 3.

CAROL ELLISON

*So young, so pretty, so popular,
So everything is she!*

G.A.A. 1,2, Cabinet 3, Vice-Pres. 4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; A Cappella 1,2,3,4; Greggites 4; Annual 1,2,3,4; Hockey 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2,3; Volleyball 3,4; Football Maid 1,3; Jr. Prom Comm. 3; Jr. Prom Maid 3; Varsity Hockey 4; Sr. Football Dance Queen 4.



MARY JEAN EMMONS

Attractive, active, clever, and neat.
Entered from Kirkwood 4; Glee Club 1; Dance Club 2; Pep Club 2; G.A.A. 3; Rostrum 4; Band 1; May Fete 2.

ALICE MAE EVANS

To speak but little becomes a woman.

G.A.A. 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; Annual 2,3; Rostrum 3,4; Hockey 1.

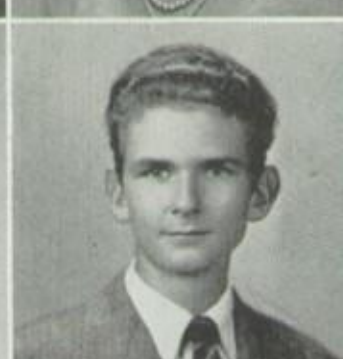


ULDA LEE FANGER

Cheerful Chum.
Glee Club 1; Pen Pal Club 2.

JIM FLEENER

Ready and steady.
Band 1,2,3,4.



PAUL FRESE

Having a wonderful time!
Rostrum 1; Bowling 2,3; Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 2,3.

WAYNE FRISINGER

*A track and football star is he,
And handsome too, as you can see.*
Entered from Williamsport, Pa. 3; "M" Club 4; "W" Club 3; "B" Football 1, Varsity 2,3,4; Wrestling Champ 2,3; Boxing Champ 2,3; Track 1, Varsity 2,3; Annual Art Ed. 4.



BOB GARRETT

*Star performer — Scholastically,
Athletically, Democratically,
and Socially.*
"M" Club 2,3,4; Backward Dance Jack 3; Class Pres. 3; Sr. Exec. Comm. 4; Annual Circulation 4; "B" Football 1,2, Varsity 3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 2,3,4.

MARY GLOSIER

*Even the rosiest compliments
would be understatement.*
GR. 1; Pep Club 1; Glee Club 1,2.



REGINA GOOCH

Silence is more eloquent than words.
G.A.A. 1,2,3, Treas. 4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Twirler 3,4; Annual 2,3,4; Hees 4; Hockey 1,2, Mgr. 3,4; Volleyball 1, Mgr. 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4.

BILL GOODYEAR

*With a little talk, a little fun,
Most of my work gets done.*
Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 2.



GERALDINE GOTT

You must have been a beautiful baby!
Entered from Southwest High School 3.

Seniors

JANE GRIEBEL

Perfection is her goal.



DON GRIESE

Politeness is a virtue.

Bowling 2,3; "B" Football 2.

HELEN GULLER

She stars in fashion design.

Glee Club, 3,4; Bowling 4;
Hecs 4; Greggites 4; Annual 4;
Torch 4.



LORAIN HOLLORAN

*Blue eyes and black hair,
A combination rare.*

Hecs 4.

JOHN HARDY

"Hell bent Hardy."

Track 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4;
Orchestra 1,2,3,4; French Horn
Quartette 1,2,3,4; Brass Sex-
tette 1,2,3,4; All County Band
1,2; All State Band 1; All State
Orchestra 1,4.



SHIRLEY HEBERER

*Gentle and kind, happiness she'll
find.*

G.R. 1; Orchestra 1,2,4; Bowl-
ing 3; Greggites 4.

ED HEIDBRIER

Easy to like!

Band 1,2; A Cappella 2,3,4; All
County Choir 4.

Ed of Track
Ed. H.



STANLEY HEINEMANN

*He has staked out a claim in
tomorrow.*

ALVERA HELLER

Our female "Frankie Carle."

Pep Club 1,2; G.R. 1,2,3; G.A.
A. 3, Cabinet 4; A Cappella
1,2,3,4; Glee Club 2,3,4; All
County Choir 4; Basketball 1,2,
Varsity 3,4; Volleyball 1,2,3,4;
Assembly Comm. 2,3; Jr. Prom
Comm. 3.



MARY ELLEN HELLMANN

*The time to be happy is now.
The place to be happy is here.*

Bowling 3; Greggites 4.

CONNIE HELLWEGE

"Jaunty Jill."

G.R. 1; Grub Streeters 4.



DICK HENCKEN

Our future Mr. America!

"M" Club 2,3,4; "B" Basket-
ball 1; "B" Football 2,3; Wres-
tling 2,3,4; Track 2,3,4.

BETTY LEE HESS

"Casually sophisticated."



PEGGY JEANNE HOEL

*Her songs—absolutely out of this
world!*

Entered from Soldan 1; G.A.A.
1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; A
Cappella 1,2,3,4; Ribbon-Bear-
er 3.

Senior
Bob Hoffman
Just a kid who loves to joke, he loves to play, he loves to put off work for another day.

BOB HOFFMAN

He loves to joke, he loves to play, he loves to put off work for another day.

Entered from Normandy 1; "B" Football 2,3; Track 3,4.

JOAN HOHMANN

There's deviltry in her eye.

Entered from Paseo High, Kansas City, Missouri 1; Glee Club 1,2,3, Vice-Pres. 4; Hockey 2; Volleyball 2; Annual 3,4; Jr. Sr. Prom Comm. 3; A Cappella 3,4; All County Choir 4; G.R. 4.

JACK HOLT

*May he live up to his name
 Like that Holt of movie fame.*

Boys' Glee Club 1; A Cappella 2,3; Pen Pal Club 1; Science Club 2,3.

BARBARA INGOLD

*As far as hobbies go,
 Barb's ice-skating is a show.*

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1; Annual 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,4; Jr. Prom Comm. 3; Sr. Exec. Comm.; War Stamp Sales Comm. 4; G.R. 4.

AUDREY JAHRAND

"Star Eyes."

G.R. 1; Pep Club 1; G.A.A. 2,3,4.

BOB JOHNSON

Six feet of personality and then some.

Bowling 1; Rifle Club 1,2; Varsity Football 3,4; Wrestling 2,3,4; Track 3.

IRMGARD KAISER

*Expert in so many ways—
 Her gift of gab we'll remember all our days.*

Pep Club 1; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; A Cappella 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Glee Club 3,4; All County Choir 4; Greggites 4; Annual 4.



JACKIE HOFFMAN

Tall, dark, and distinguished.

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1; Basketball 3; Volleyball 3.

JOHN HOHMANN

You can trust him in the dark.

Entered from Paseo High, Kansas City, Missouri 1; Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; "B" Football 2; Wrestling 2,3,4.

STANLEY HRACH

*When you are gone
 The torch will live on.*

Honorary Member Math Club 1,2, Member 3, Pres. 4; Torch 3,4; Sr. Exec. Comm.; Prom Comm. 3; Annual 4; Class Treas. 3.

JAMES IRWIN

Under that red head—a combination of good sense and humor.

Entered from Normal Community High 4; Athletic Club 1,2,3.

JUANITA JENNINGS

Her attraction is undeniable.

Hecs 4.

BILL JONES

Friendly as a hayride!

A Cappella 2,3,4.

NADINE KEENEY

*Nickey, with your hair aglow,
 We'll be sorry to see you go.*

Seniors

VIVIAN LEE KELLY

She favors the Navy blue.

Entered from Southwest High 3.



BETTY KEMPER

Clever with brush and pen.

G.R. 1,2,3; Annual 4.

ALICE KIECKOEFER

The business world will welcome her.

Soph. Assembly Comm. 2; Hecs 4.



PEGGY KINDIG

She likes to be different!

Pep Club 1; Glee Club 1; G.R. 1.

RICHARD KOESTER

Does everything quietly and smoothly.



ERNEST KRETSCHMAR

Lives for the good he can do.

Band 1.

DON KRIEG

"Going My Way!"



ALAN L. LAKE

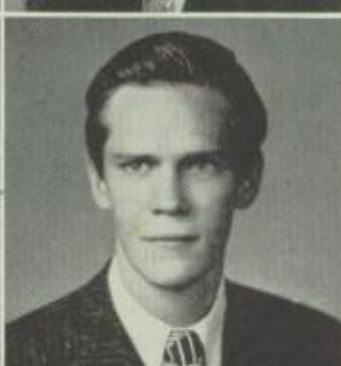
It was a tough fight—but I won!

Band 1,2; "B" Football 1,2; "B" Basketball 1,2, Varsity 3; Track 1,2.

RUTH LAMBERT

Hospitality, with a soft southern accent.

Entered from Little Rock, Arkansas 2; G.A.A. 2,3; Glee Club 1; G.R. 2; Class Vice-Pres. 1; Annual 4.



ROGER LARSON

Rarin', Rantin', Roger!

He'll never be an old codger!

PAT LOEBLEIN

Fair hair and eyes of blue, A distinction true.

G.R. 1; Bowling 3,4.



EARL LORE

Oh, a sailor's life is the life for me!

Hi-Y 2; "M" Club 3,4; "B" Football 1,2, Varsity 3,4; Track 2,3,4; Wrestling 4.

SHIRLEY MAAS

This girl is set for higher things.

Bowling 2,3; Basketball 4.



ANDY MACKEY

A gentleman by choice.

Bowling Club 1; Track 1,2; "B" Football 1,2, Varsity 3,4.

To a very lovely little girl, I wish you all the luck & love in the world
Andy

Seniors

BILLIE MAGRUDER

*Witty and clever you'll have to agree;
Sweet and lovely as you can see.*

G.A.A. 1; Band 1; Orchestra 1; Glee Club 1,2,4; A Cappella 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,4; Hockey 1,2; Volleyball 2,4; Ribbon-bearer 3; Annual 4.



MARY MARTINEAU

Needles and pins, in sewing she wins!

G.A.A. 1; G.R. 2; Bowling 3.



DOTTIE MAY

Career Girl!

Entered from Webster 1; Bowling 4; Hecs 4; Pep Club 1,2.



JEANETTE McDONALD

Sociability should be promoted.

Basketball 1; Hockey 1.



BETTY McKELVEY

Never a dull moment!

Entered from Shortridge High, Indianapolis, Indiana, 1.



ELINOR ANN MEIER

*Enviably photogenetic
Her active life is hectic!*

G.R. 1,2; Orchestra 1,2,3,4, Vice-Pres. 2; Band 2,3,4; Bowling 4; Greggites, Sec. 4; Annual 4; Hecs, Pres. 4; Basketball 4; Torch 4.



BILLY MEYER

The "how" and "why" intrigue him.



ROSEMARY MILBERT

Quietness and efficiency go hand in hand.

Fresh. Assembly Comm. 1; G.R. 2,3; G.A.A. 4; Orchestra 3,4; Hecs 4; Annual 4; Torch 4; Basketball 4.



BETTY MILLER

*High capabilities;
You can depend on her.*

Entered from Huntington High 3; Glee Club 1; Bowling 2,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; G.R. 4; G.A.A. 4; Annual 4; Hecs 4; Skating Club 2; Volleyball 2,4.



BILL MILLER

He doesn't fiddle around."

Bowling 1,2; Band 1,2,3,4.



MARTHA MOON

Our Editor—Here, there, and everywhere!

Annual 2, Co-Assoc. Ed. 3, Editor 4; G.R. 1; G.A.A. 1, Cabinet 2,3,4; Pep Club 1; Hockey 1; Orchestra 1,2; Basketball 2,4; Volleyball 3,4; Jr. Prom Comm. 3; Ribbon-Bearer 3; Torch 4; Sr. Exec. Comm.; Sr. Football Dance Comm. 4.



SUE MORTEN

American girl—The smartest thing on two feet.

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2; Glee Club 3,4; Annual 3,4; Hockey 3; Jr. Prom Comm. 3; Rostrum 4.



JIM MORTON

*A hermit's life he likes to lead.
We find him very handsome indeed.*

Science Club 2, Pres. 3; Band 1,2; Track 3.



JIM MOTLEY

*An athlete is he
And full of pep as he can be.*

Bowling 1,3; Varsity Football 4; Wrestling 4.



Seniors

ISABELL NARROW

It narrows down to this — we like her!

Glee Club 1,2; Skating Club, 2.



EMMIE NIETERS

Sweeter than sweet.

JACK OLSEN

Coming in on a wheel and a prayer!



BETTY OTT

*Her story is short and sweet,
In M.R.H. she can't be beat.*

ROBERT OTT

*Nothing to say, nothing to do,
I hope this day will be shortly through.*

A Cappella 1,2,3,4; Fresh. Assembly Comm. 1; H-Y 2; Prom Comm. 3.



JOAN PARKER

Underscore capable.

G.R. 1; G.A.A. 2,3,4; Bowling 2, Pres. 3, Vice-Pres. 4; Basketball 2,3; Volleyball 2,3; Hockey 4; Greggites 4; Vice-Pres. 4.

BOB POHLE

Not lazy, just tired!

Pep Club 1; Rifle Club 1,2; Bowling 1,3; Soph. Football; Track 2.



CHARLES PRINCE

*Charlie we know is quite a fan
Of Goodman, Miller, and Ellington.*

A Cappella 1,2,3, Vice-Pres. 4; "B" Football 2,3, Varsity 4; Track 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 3,4.

DONALD ROBER

*Always laughing like a clown
When teacher's not around.*



ESTHER ROBERTS

*Everything she does with ease
Always willing and ready to please.*

G.R. 2; Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 2,3,4; Mixed Clarinet Quartet 3,4; Torch 4.

AL ROGERS

Accent on living!



MARGIE ROSE

Our typical high school girl!

Annual 1,2,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; A Cappella 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Hockey 1,2,3,4; Football Maid 2; Class Vice-Pres. 3; Jr. Prom Comm. 3; Jr. Prom Maid 3; Greggites, Pres. 4; All County Chorus 4; Class Vice-Pres. 4; Sr. Football Dance Maid 4.

IDA ROSENBERG

"Dancing feet."

G.A.A. 1.



JANET RUFFNER

She loves to play the "blues."

Entered from Belle High School 4; Band 1,4; Glee Club 1,2,4; Pep Club 1,2,3; School Paper 1,2,3; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 3; Annual 4.

Seniors

JIM RYAN

*That serious look, that scholarly stare
We know there's mischief in the air.*

"M" Club 1,2,3,4; Varsity Football 2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4.



ROSEMARY SAMUELS

Lucky in Love.

G.A.A. 1,2; GR. 1; Basketball 1,2,4; Hockey 1,4; Volleyball 4; Greggites 4.

TOM SANS SOUCI

His fate is "sealed."

Chess Club 1,2; Rifle Club 1,2,3; Class Vice-Pres. 1; Band, 1,2,3.



DOTTIE SCHEIDT

*If Dottie lived across the sea,
What wonderful swimmers "some people" would be!*

Entered from Roosevelt High 2; G.R. 2; G.A.A. 2,3,4; Annual 2; Cheerleader 2,3,4; Basketball 4; Ribbon-Bearer 3.

ROLAND SCHIKORE

*Always ready, always there.
Always willing to do his share.*

Rifle Club 1,2, Pres. 3,4; Annual, Co-Photo. Ed. 3, Business Manager 4; Track 3; Torch, Treas. 4.



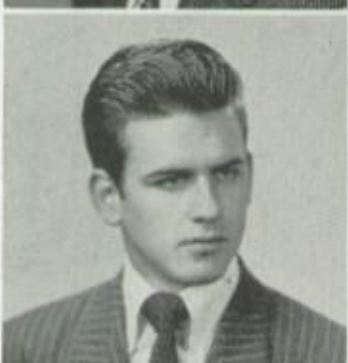
LAUREL MAE SCHRAMM

*From her knowledge, others will
light their candles.*

Rostrum 1; G.R. 1; Hecs, Sec. 4; Annual 4; Glee Club 4; Grub Streeters 4; Torch 4.

JACK SEILER

Women are his hobby!



BETTY SENKOSKY

Our all around girl.

G.R. 1,2; Basketball 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 2,3; Volleyball 2,3,4; Tennis 2; Annual 4.

BUD SHIPMAN

*Not too good, not too bad,
We think he is a likeable lad.*



ARDYTH SMITH

*I'll not confer with sorrow—until
tomorrow.*

JEANNE MARIE SPOONER

"Merry Tongue."

Bowling 1; GR. 1.



MARY JANE STEFFEN

*A cheerful look, a pleasing eye.
You'll always get when you pass
her by.*

GR. 1; G.A.A. 1,2,3; Bowling 2; Volleyball 3,4; Greggites 4; Annual 4; Torch 4; Basketball 4.

GENE STEPHENS

Men are not measured by inches.



RUTH STEVENS

Never weary, ever cheery!

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Bowling 2,3,4; Basketball 2,4; Hockey 3; Volleyball 4; Jr. Prom Comm. 3.

Seniors

JOAN STEWARD

Athletically active—Socially attractive.

G.A.A. 1,2,3, Cabinet 4; Archery 1; Hockey 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 3,4; Swimming 4; Ribbon-Bearer 3; Sr. Football Dance Maid.



JOE STODDARD

Lots of charm, plenty of wit, With all his friends he makes a hit.
Band 1,2; Bowling 1,2; "B" Football 2, Varsity 4; Track 3; "M" Club 4.

JAMES STRAUBINGER

Last night at twelve I felt immense, But now I feel like thirty cents.
Entered from South Side Catholic 3; Varsity Football 3,4; "M" Club 3,4.



HOMER STRICKER

A dapper little man about town.

PAT TETER

According to the seer Music is her career!
Band 1,2,3, Sec. 4; Orchestra 2,3,4; Flute Quartette 1,2,3; Flute Trio 3; Bowling 3.



DICK THAYER

Dick has gone to the colors.
Varsity Football 3,4; Track 2,3; Math Club 3,4.

MILDRED THURMAN

Never slips anyone a cross word!
G.A.A. 1; G.R. 1; Glee Club 1,2,4; A Cappella 1,2,3,4; Greggites 4.



BEVERLY TUCKER

A study in blonde.
G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Annual 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; A Cappella 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,4; Jr. Prom. Comm. 3; Ribbon-Bearer 3.

C. VELVIN TURNER

And with my homely wit, I brighten up the world a-bit.
Chess Club 1,2,3; Track Mgr. 1; Math Club 2,3,4; Jr. Prom Comm. 3.



CORINNE MARIE VOEGTLI

Nice to know.
Hiking 1; Greggites 4.

BONITA WALKENHORST

Pleasing Personality.



HAROLD WATZIG

All the brothers were valiant, He carried on the tradition.
"M" Club 1,2,3,4; Hi-Yi 2; Class Pres. 4; "B" Basketball 1,2, Varsity 3,4; Varsity Football 3,4; Track 1,2,3,4, Captain 3.

DOROTHY WERLE

Since life is brief, we need to make it bright.
G.A.A. 1; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; A Cappella 1,2,3,4; Greggites 4.



JUNE WILDBERGER

Charming and captivating.
G.R. 1; Hockey 3; G.A.A. 2.

Seniors

WILMA M. WILDEBRANDT

Preparing for her secretarial career.

Greggites 4.



DAVE WIND

Would you call that poise or self-confidence?

"B" Basketball 1, Varsity 2,3,4; H-Y 2; Bowling 2,3; "M" Club, 2,3,4.

MARY WITHINGTON

Her enthusiasm is infectious!

Greggites 4.



BETTY WOLF

Unmistakably sweet!

KENNETH WOLF

Ken gets a "howl out of life."

Entered from South Side Catholic 1; "B" Football 2,3, Varsity 4; Track 2,3,4; Wrestling 2,3,4; "M" Club 3,4.



JACK WOLFF

Don't judge me by my last name.

Entered from Principia 2; Math Club 4.

MARK WOLTERS

Smart the live long day.

Entered from Kirkwood High 2; Boys' Glee Club 1; Spanish Club 2; Math Club 3,4; Ros-trum 4; Bowling 1.



JACK WOODLEY

Quiet and dignified.

Entered from Webster 2.

ROSEMARY WOODS

Sweet and neat!

G.R. 1,2; Bowling 1,2.



PAT WULFMEIER

Vitality plus!

G.A.A. 1,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,4; Basketball 1,2,4; Hockey, 1,2,3, Varsity 4; Bowling 2,3,4; Volleyball 4; Jr. Prom Comm. 3; Greggites 4.

BILL YORK

Hi-Ho—the merry-o!

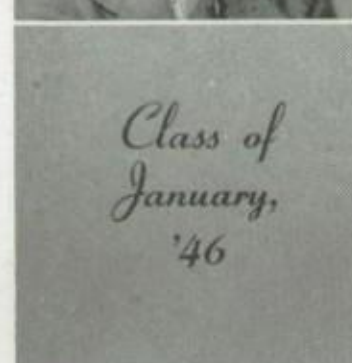
Math Club 3,4; Rifle Club 3; Wrestling 4; Track 3,4.



STANLEY ZERMAN

"Young man with a horn."

Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Cornet Quartet 1; Math Club 3,4; Bowling 1, Sec. 2,3,4.



MARY BARNARD

No other charm can quite compare With the allure of that lustrous black hair.

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.R. 1; Glee Club 1,2; Annual 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2, 4; Jr. Prom Comm. 3; Ribbon-Bearer 3.

Seniors

MARY ELLEN BROCKMAN

Beauty, Brains, and Manners go well together.

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.R. 1,2,3; Annual Staff 4; A Cappella 1, 2,3; Rostrum 1,2,3, Vice-Pres. 4; Torch 4; Jr. Prom Comm. 3; Ribbon-Bearer 3; Glee Club, 1,2,3.



FAYE CLOVER

You're as pretty as a picture.

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.R. 1; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; A Cappella 2,3,4; Annual 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2,4; Sr. Dance Maid 1; Jr. Prom Maid 3.

JULIA CONNARD

"Dainty Miss."

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Annual 3,4; Hockey 1; Jr. Prom Comm. 3; Ribbon-Bearer 3.



GLADYS DOYLE

Little but—Oh my!

Entered from Southwest 2; G. A.A. 2; G.R. 2; Pep Club 2,3; Annual 3,4.

GLORIA MAE FALLEDTOFT

Give me a place in the garden of song.

Rostrum 1; Glee Club 1,2,3; A Cappella 1, Treas. 2,3; All State Choir 1; All County Choir 2,3; Girls' Trio 3; Girl's Quartette 3; Girls' Sextette 3; Mixed Quartette 3.



CORINNE GRIFFIN

*Pretty, peppy and alert
She's a pert skirt.*

G.R. 1,2,3,4; Greggites 3,4.

LILLIAN HAMBLY

*Bashful at times but her winning smile
Makes her friends worth while.
Bowling 3,4.*



EVELYN HATINA

*An example of how to win friends
And influence people.*

G.R. 1,2,3, Cabinet 4; G.A.A. 1,3; Bowling 2; Greggites 3,4.

DOROTHY HENDERSON

What jolly fun!

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Pep Club 1.



ETHEL HENDEL

Peppy addition to M.R.H.

Entered from Southwest High School 3; Swimming Club 1; Dance Group 1; Dramatic Club 1.

KAY HENLEY

One of a favorite twosome.

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.R. 1,2; Pep Club 1; Class Sec. 3; Jr. Prom Comm. 3; Ribbon-Bearer 3; Basketball 4.



RICHARD HENLEY

*Some people have a genius for
doing nothing and doing it well.*

Band 1; Bowling 2; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1.

MERRIL JACOBSEN

A good line man.

Varsity Football 2,3,4.



IVAN JAMES

*In his favorite pastime
Study and sleep run a race.*

Bowling 1; Band 1; "B" Football Mgr. 1; "B" Basketball 1,2; Varsity 3,4.

Seniors

VIRGINIA KELLER

"Dark Eyes."

G.R. 1; G.A.A. 1,2; Annual 3,4; Torch 4.



ELSIE KUHNHENN

Plenty of energy—gets things done.

G.R. 1; Library Assistant 1.



JOE LONGSTRETH

*A funny lad with lots to say—
He likes to talk, and does all day.*

Bowling 1; Wrestling 2,3; "B" Football 3; Varsity 4.



RICHARD MALCHOW

Energy quietly directed.



NICK MAHONEY

*"He laughs best who laughs last,
the wiseacres vow;
But I am impatient, I want to
laugh now!"*



MELVIN MAYBURY

An artist arrives.

Entered from Soldan 3; Jr. Red Cross 2; Basketball 2.



ELMER McBRIDE

*Cultivate the friendship of the man
behind the smile.*

Track 1,2,4; Wrestling 3,4.



LOIS MEYER

*By your friends you loyally stand,
Always willing to lend a hand.*

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 1,2;
G.R. 1,2; Cabinet 3,4; Rostrum 1,2;
Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Annual 1,2,3.



EUGENE MURPHY

*Prepared to add deeds to
knowledge.*

Bowling 1,2; Math Club 3,4;
Chess Club 1,2; Torch 4.



PAULINE PAVLAKIS

*She's lots of fun and full of pep,
She'll make success in one big step.*

Entered from Central 2; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4;
Bundles for America Club 1,2; Library Club 1.



NORMA PETERS

Definitely cut out for success.

G.A.A. 1,2,4; G.R. 1,2; Math Club 3,4;
Basketball 1,4; Volleyball 1.



ED PIERSOL

Hard work is my recreation.



JOHNNY PULLIAM

"Don't Fence Me In."

"B" Football 1, Varsity 2,3,4;
Bowling 1.



BETTY ROER

*Work never drains the joy out of
life.*

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.R. 1; Glee Club 2;
Annual 3,4; Hockey 2.



Seniors

AL ROMERO

Cabellero, muy simpatico!

Entered from Soldan High 3;
Track 1; Gym Team 1.



ROBERT T. RUDOLPH

He'll find his place and fill it without noise or confusion.

Track 1,4.

DORIS SCHAEFFER

"Cover Girl."

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.R. 1,2; Pep Club 1; Jr. Prom Comm.; Jr. Prom Maid 3; Annual 1,2,3.



CHARLES SCHIF

I can dream, can't I?

CHARLENE SCHULER

Charlene—tall and gracious like a queen.



JOAN V. STARK

Her presence is dynamic!

Entered from Roosevelt 3;
Bowling 1; Pep Club 1,2; Sec. to Advisor 2; Service 2; A Cappella 1,2,3.

DAVE STILLMAN

"All I ask is a tall ship and a star to steer her by."

Rifle Club 1; Chess Club 1,2.



SULTANE UNIS

"Lively Eyes."

TOMMY VESPERENY

Adventure ahead!



MICKEY WHITE

Just full of pep and mischief!

G.R. 1,2; Bowling 3,4.

ELIZABETH WILFLEY

Our literary find.

Entered from Seattle, Washington 2; Rostrum 2,3,4; Band 2,3,4; G.A.A. 2,3; Math Club, 3,4.



CLASS OF JUNE 1945

Norman Brueckner
Jim Greig
Carol Hicks
Gordon McAdow
Clarene Provance
Pat Queenan
Ray Schild
Eugene Welch
Edward Windsor
Al Wolf

CLASS OF JANUARY 1946

Harold Bundy
Charles Hayn
Grant Helm
Jennie Leonard
Paul Menser
Charles Moca
Herbert Morelock
Jim Siemens
Bud Wallerstedt

Your Favorite Undergrads



PEGGY MILLER

FRESHMEN



JIM FRISINGER



ALEX HORVAT

SOPHOMORES



JUDY LEIGHTON



JANE KELLY

JUNIORS



BILL BABBITT

Our Ideal Undergrads Would Have—

Jane Kelly's girlish giggle.

Lorraine Funk's dimples.

Adrienne Rettaire's figure.

Marilyn Meier's hair highlights.

Dot Schute's "curlative" eyelashes.

Judy Leighton's come-hither eyes.

Dot Twombly's skin you love to touch.

Sue Hamlin's wardrobe.

Harriet Moore's little dancing feet.

Carol Moon's hands by Jergens.

Lolly Klimek's pep and wit.

Betty Carney's luscious lips and teeth.

Earlene Johnson's blush.

Peggy Miller's cute nose.

Bill Couch's Esquire look.

Herb Klinger's smile.

Lambert Balducci's determined chin.

Terry Allen's voice.

Bob Aldag's quick feet.

Jim Frisinger's glance that slays.

Bob Lambert's shoulders.

Jerry Striler's wavy hair.

Jack Diesel's smoothness.

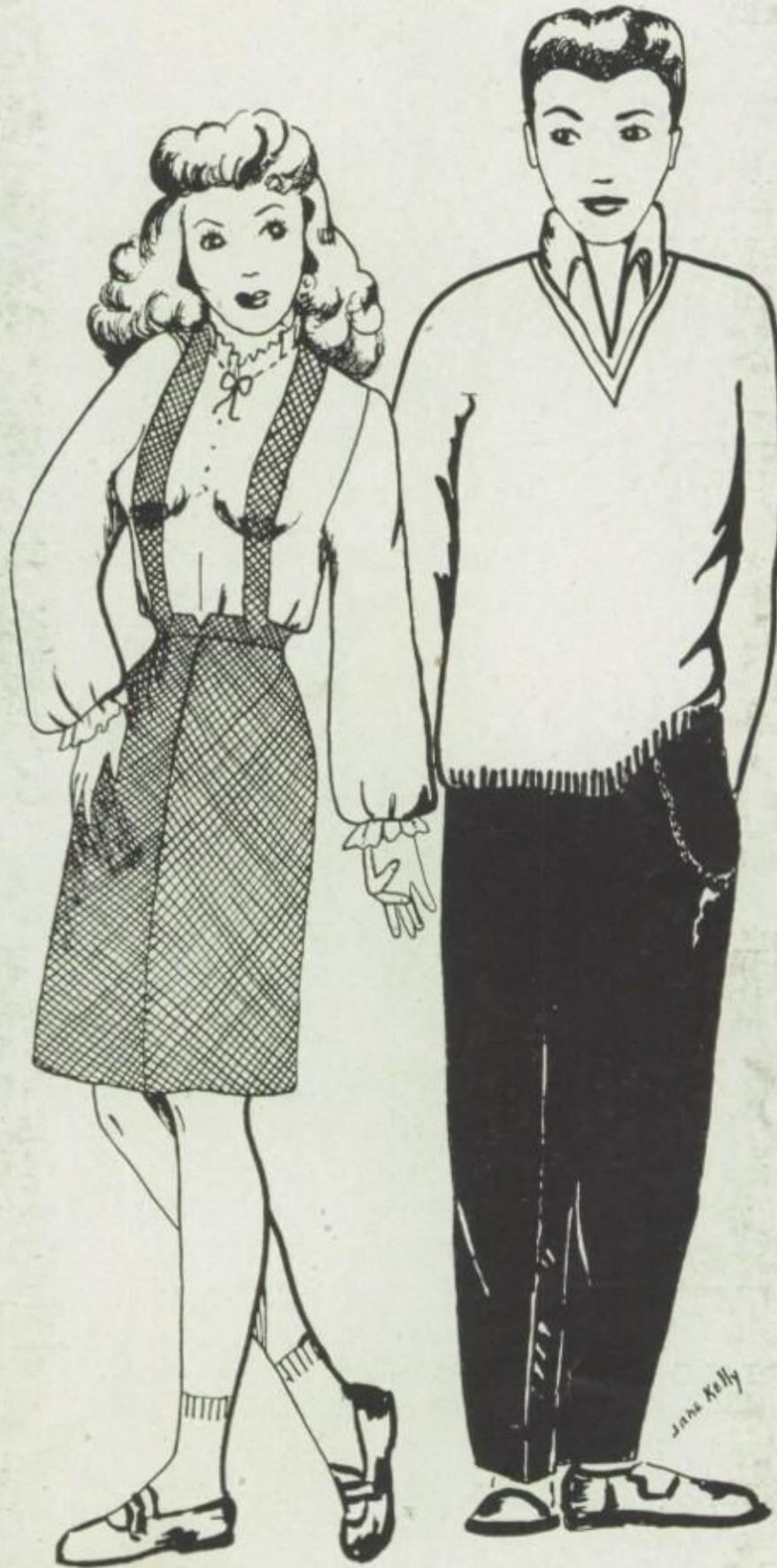
Herb Graham's freckles.

Mel Werner's teeth by Ipana.

Ed Frahm's handsomeness.

Bob Ellis' athletic prowess.

Bill Babbitt's way with the gals.



Underclassmen, reverently stand

JOAN AHTIPUS
BOB ALDAG
BETTY ALEXANDER
DICK ANDREWS

GINNY AUSTIN
BILL BABBITT
DOROTHY BEASLEY
JEANINE BELLOWES
THELMA BERRY

WILMA BERRY
BUD BLANK
ELSBETH BORMANN
CHARLES BORTH
MERYL BOULWARE

ALICE BOWLING
DOUG BOWYER
HELEN BOYHER
NADINE BRENECKE
LEO BRETHAUER

SHIRLEY BROWN
PAT BURKETT
JACK CARLSON
BETTY CARNEY
MARY ANN CAVANAUGH

TROY CLELAND
FRED CODY
BETTYE DETMERS
JACK DIESEL
MARILYN DILL

HELEN EAST
NEWTON EDWARDS
KATHRYN ELGES
BOB ELLIS
BOB ELLISON

VIOLA ENGLISH
BETTY ERNST
MARION FEEGLE
MARCELLA FORTADO
JEANETTE FRIEL

BILL GAFFNEY
RAY GALLAHER
JANIS GESELSCHAP
CORINNE GOEB
MILLIE GRACEY

JIMMIE GREENE
LOIS GRIEBEL
LEONA GUEMPEL
DON HAGEMANN
TOM HALLEY



Our future seniors are at hand



GUY HAMILTON
SUE HAMLIN
LEONA HANKE
MARCELLA HARRISON
ALFRED HART

ERWIN HAUSMANN
BILL HAYES
KEN HAYS
JIM HEALEY
WESLEY HENSHAW

GENE HELLMAN
LEONA HOLLRAH
JEAN HOWALD
EVELYN HUDSON
BOB HUESGEN

BILL HUMBERG
EARLENE JOHNSON
HERBERT JOHNSON
MARY JOHNSON
ROSEMARY KAMPMANN

ADRIAN KELLY
JANE KELLY
GINNY KERN
CLAIRE KIELY
MICKEY LA VOIE

JOYCE LAURITSON
PAT LAY
ROBERT LE FRANCOIS
E. J. LEUTZINGER
HORTENSE LLOYD

JANE LLOYD
BERTHA MAAS
BERNICE MAASSEN
JAMES MCKNIGHT
MARILYN MEIER

DOLORES MEJIA
JANICE MOONEY
RUTH NIETERS
MARY JANE NOONAN
CHARLES NOTTER

IRENE NUFER
LORETTA PLAKE
ADRIENNE RETTAIRE
MARY ANN ROBINSON
JACQUE ROMBACH

JACK ROSE
BETTE ROSS
RAY SANTEN
HANS SCHAFFNER
BILL SCHNURR

Books and studies with no time for play

DOROTHY SELLER
BOB SIEFERT
JACK SMITH
NANCY SMITH
PEGGY SNELSON

MARIE STECHER
SHIRLEY STEVENS
MARYLIN STEWART
GERALD STRILER
CARL STROM

DON TEMPEL
NANCY TOWNSEND
RALPH TOWNSEND
CHARLES TREMAIN
ANNABELLE UPDIKE

DICK VERSER
SALLY WEILER
DOROTHY WELDEN
ZELMA WEST
MARGUERITE WETZEL

MARTHA WHITEHILL
MARY WILKINSON
DOLORES WILLIAMS
BARBARA WOLTERS
MARGUERITE WOODRUFF

TOM BAXLEY
DON BEIMDIEK
RUTH BLAIR
DORIS CLARK

BILL COUCH
BARBARA CROOKS
JEAN FLEMING
ED FRAHM
GUY GIBBS

BRUCE GILL
JERRY HANDLER
LOWELL JACOBSEN
PEGGY JENKINS
CAROL KAUFMANN

MARY ANN KEMPER
ANNA MAE KUTZ
HELEN MAXWELL
JEAN McLEOD
DOLORES McNABB

ERNIE MEYER
JIM MUEHLBERG
MARGO MURRAY
DOROTHY PETERS
DORIS PLATT



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Lunch is our favorite hour in the day



LOUIS RILEY
BETTY LOU ROTAN
LLOYD SANDERS
PEGGY SCHEER
NELL SCHULZ

GLEN SPEISER
MARION STEPHENS
BILL SULLIVAN
ELIZABETH SUMMERS
JACKIE SWALLOW

JOE TOLIVER
BETTY VOIGT

JANE ADAMS
GILBERT ADKINS

RITA AHERN
MARY ALFULTIS
MARY LEE ANDREWS
RALPH ASTON
CHUCK AUSTIN

DON BABBITT
DON BAKER
BETTY BANDERET
RICHARD BASS
ELAINE BERRYMAN

BOB BILLMEYER
ROSEMARY BORGSTEDE
LILLIAN BRUECKNER
MARILYN BURGER
LOUIS CANCIENNE

WILLIAM CANCIENNE
DOROTHY CHORNEY
ARTHUR CLUKIES
BILL CLEMENT
JOE COAD

BOB COBB
RUTH COLE
WILLIAM CONAWAY
DICK CONRAD
ARTHUR CORNELL

CARL CASE
JOE ANNE COUSIN
AUDREY CROSBY
ALAN DEARDORFF
BILL DECKER

MARY LOU DOYLE
ANN DuBOIS
MARGY ECOFF
BETTY EDMONDS
JOHN EMMONS

When it comes to being witty and wise

SHIRLEY GARNER
MARGIE GARRETT
KENNY GARRISON
NEVA BELLE GOTTFRIED
HERBERT GRAHAM

JEAN GROWE
MARIE GULLER
DON HARRIS
LORENE HEALEY
JEAN HENCKEN

BETTY HESS
ROBERT HIGGINS
LOIS HOUGH
RAY HUME
JAMES HURST

LYLE IRWIN
ALICE JOHNSON
BECKY JOLLIFF
JIM KEIL
HENRY KRAEMER

DOLORES KRUSE
MARION LADD
ROSEMARY MABERY
YVONNE MABERY
JACKIE MAHONEY

JACK McCOOL
RUTH McGINNIS
PAT McKANRY
MARTHA MEADE
SHIRLEY MEIER

DONALD MEYER
RUTH MILLER
AUDREY MINER
JACK MONAHAN
HARRIET MOORE

JOHN MOORE
BETTY MYRICK
CHARLOTTE NACK
CHARLES NEIHEISER
JACK NEISE

EDDIE NOTTER
MARABETH OWENS
SUE PEMBERTON
JULIA PHIPPS
GLORIA PHIROPOULOS

BOB PLOUSSARD
CATHERINE POULOS
ELEANOR RAINES
BEVERLY RENTSCHLER
MARILYN RIDENOUR



Our "sophos moroi" take the prize



AL ROSENBERG
JACK RUCK
MARY RYAN
JULIA ANN SCHAEZNER
MARIE SCHUERMANN

DOTTIE SCHUTE
ARTHUR SCOTT
BILL SEWELL
LEOLA SHAW
BERYL SHIRK

DON SMITH
GLORIA SMITH
JEANNINE SOLOMAN
MARY ANN STETZKAMP
JACK STEVENS

BILLIE STEWARD
ISOBEL STEWART
RUTH STRAUBINGER
JEANNE SWANLUND
JIM TANDY

PAT THOMPSON
WALTER THREEWITT
JOHN TOLLE
DOROTHY TWOMBLY
ELENA VINCEN

CHARLES VOLA
MARGARET WEASE
MARION WEAVER
MEL WERNER
JANET WERT

DARLENE WESTERMANN
SUSAN WHITEHILL
TOM WIDDICOMBE
BILL WILKINSON
DON WILLIAMS

DORIS WINDSOR
EMERALD WOODRUFF
L. H. WULFMEIER
EVELYN ANDERSON

EULA JEAN BAILEY
LOUIS BALDUCCI
JANET BARNARD
SHIRLEY BATEMANN
RUTH BLEDSOE

GIL BRADY
DOROTHY BRITT
RICHARD BRITT
JANE BUCK
LOIS BULLER

Please be still, you noisy class

REBECCA CALHOON
PATSY CASSERLY
JOY CLARK
JIMMY CLAYWELL
BETTY COOK

DON DIESEL
ROY DODSON
ELAINE DOERBAUM
TED FRITSCH
JIMMY GAY

BETTY GIBBS
DOROTHY GILLESPIE
HELEN GOLDSTEIN
HOWARD GORDON
SHIRLEY GRAY

ROLAND GREMAUD
SHIRLEY GRIFFIN
BETTY GRIFFITH
BILL GROMMET
MILDRED HARTIN

GLORIA LANG
JUDY LEIGHTON
GLORIA LITTERER
DOROTHY MAXWELL
VIVIAN McNAIL

LENNIE MEESEY
JANE NOLTE
PATSY OVERBY
JAMES PLATT
DON RITCHER

JEAN SAAK
DELORES SLEZAK
JIMMY SPIROS
HAROLD SUSMAN
EDITH STATLER

FRED STECKER
BETTY TOLIVER
ED WILSON
FRED WOLF

LUCILLE ABERNATHY
NORMA ALBERTIN
SABRA JEAN ALEXANDER
KENNETH ALFULTIS
TERRY ALLEN

MARY ANN ANDERSON
MARIE AUGUSTINE
BILL BARTLEY
JOCELYN BELLOWS
DOLORES BERRESHEIM



*Class of
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Will this hour never pass



SUE BEST
RAY BOWERS
KENNETH BRECKENKAMP
BETTYE JOAN BRENNECKE
MARY BUCHROEDER

FRANK BUMM
MAXINE BURKE
JOY CARR
DOROTHY CLACK
DONALD CLARK

MARLENE CONRAD
JERRY COSTELLO
NORMA COUSIN
BETTY DAVES
SUZANNE DAVIS

ROMAN DILTHEY
HOWARD DOERLE
JOAN DOLAN
ELAINE EHRET
HAROLD EOFF

BOB FEND
SHIRLEY FISCHER
ALLEN FLEENER
PAUL FLEMING
CHARLENE FOUST

LORAIN FUNK
GENE GAFFNEY
JOAN GOING
LOUIS GORDON
ROSE GROTE

JOHN GURY
BERNICE HAAG
ROSE MARIE HAFERKAMP
GLOVER HARRIS
ROSE MARIE HAUKAP

JOAN HEBERER
TOM HEETER
MAYDELL HENRY
WESLEY JACOBSEN
JACK JENICEK

JOSEPHINE KALUZA
DOLORES KATZ
BOB KELLY
JEAN KEMPER
VIRGINIA KENDALL

BILL KENEFICK
JAMES KOECHLING
PATRICIA KOELLING
HELEN KUESTER
JOSEPH KURTZ

When they see what they have to do

BOB LAMBERT
BRAINERD LA TOURETTE JR.
PAT LINTON
SHIRLEY LUDWIG
BILL MADDOX

EVELYN McFARLAND
BOB McLEANE
DORIS MELTON
ROBERT MEYER
PEGGY MILLER

CAROL MOON
JIM MULLALLY
MURIEL MUTRUX
SHIRLEY NASH
RONALD NELMS

VICKY NELSON
JO ANNE NIEWOEHRNER
HALLEY O'BRIEN
MARY PALMER
PAT PATTERSON

SHARON PERKINS
BOB PHILLIPS
BESSIE POULOS
BILL QUAYLE
WILLARD REDFORD

BEULAH REEVES
DOROTHEA REIMER
MARCELLA ROBINSON
PAT RUDOLPH
PIERRE SAN SOUCI

BETTY SCHIF
MARGIE SNECKNER
FERN SPIER
LA VERNE SPITZNAGLE
BOB STRILER

GEORGE TAGGART
HAROLD TAYLOR
ROBERT TAYLOR
JERRY THIESS
LEO VOEGTLI

AUDREY WARNER
LILLIAN WATKINS
BERNICE WEHRLI
JOE WEISS
CHARLES WETZEL

PATSY WIEHE
MARILYN WILLIAMS
ROGER WILLIAMS
ROLAND WILLIS
DORIS WOODRUFF



The freshies all want to be seniors, too



JEANNETTE BUSSE
JILL CARLSON
MAXIE COBB
HARRIET DOERLE

JOAN DUGDALE
SHIRLEY EDMONDS
MARY ANN FLEMING
RICHARD FLEMMER
WILLIAM GABLER

NANCY GAULT
HERB GELLMAN
CARL GIEBEL
VIRGINIA GOREE
ALAN HOEFER

EARLEEN HECKEL
JEANNINE HECKEL
JEANE HERBERT
BOB HOPKINS
IRENE KAISER

BILL MAY
RAYMOND McVEY
JEANNETTE METIVIER
BOB MILER
BEATRICE MORELOCK

WILMA NIETERS
LORRAINE OBERNAY
SHIRLEY PETERSEN
JOE PIGOTT
FERRIS PITTS

LARRY RAFFERTY
ALICE RINDERKNECHT
MARGARET SCHLEMMER
JOAN SPEISER
JIMMY SPOONER

VIRGINIA TILDEN
CLARA MAE WALTERS
BILL WILEY

All hail, thou mighty Freshman
With laurels on thy brow,
Though thou wert tops in Junior High
Thou'rt only small fry now.



Opportunity



ONLY by active participation in creative organizations can we direct our aggression into leadership, our talents into careers, our opportunities into service. Therefore we open wide the doors of our after-school clubs, and let the students come in with homey hobbies, and wonderful wizardry. For we know that here lies the opportunity for stimulating minds and hearts to search out the farthest reaches of human experience.

Through Activities



WHAT DOES KEATS HAVE THAT WE
HAVEN'T GOT?

Grub Streeters

"THE poetry of earth is never dead," wrote Keats. It lives within the walls of Maplewood - Richmond Heights High School in the form of the Grub Street Club. Named for the famous street in London inhabited by struggling young writers, the club is Maplewood's attempt to make her students more literary minded. Its existence creates an excellent opportunity for members interested in creative writing to express themselves freely and artistically (we hope) in both prose and poetry.

This year, as in past years, some of the members made contributions to "An Eve-



First Row: Blair, Mr. Baillie, Lambert, Schramm.
Second Row: Dues, Hellwege, Lay, Geselschap, McKanry.

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President Laurel Mae Schramm
Vice-President Pat Lay

ning of Poetry," sponsored by the Women's College Club, and to "The National Anthology of High School Poetry." Three poems were accepted for publication by "The National Anthology." The authors were Rosemary Blair, Janet Ruffner, and Laurel Mae Schramm. Mr. Baillie's patience and able sponsorship have made the Grub Streeters a real success.

Torch

OUR chapter of the National Honor Society initiated fourteen members during the fall term. Laurel Mae Schramm, a new member, gives us her idea of Torch in the following poem:

The flaming torch of knowledge,
 See it glow and burn,
 Reflecting wond'rous wisdom
 For which so many yearn.
 Its golden light is God's great gift
 In man's rich treasure chest
 Its fire down through the ages
 Has been a ceaseless quest.

Ye who bear it, guard it,
 Humbly serve your day
 Then hand it down to worthy hands
 Who follow on the way,
 That they in turn may work and serve,
 And serving make it bright,
 And give the torch what God intended,
 Universal light.



CARRYING ON THE GREAT TRADITION

OFFICERS

Sponsor	Miss Barkley
First Semester	Second Semester
Stanley Hrach	President Stanley Hrach
Marjorie Parsons	Vice-President Mary Lou Cook
Esther Roberts	Secretary Esther Roberts
Dorothy Carpenter	Treasurer Roland Schikore

First Row: Carpenter, Parsons, Hrach, Rice, Daughetee.
 Second Row: Cook, Miss Sharp, Miss Barkley, Moon, Schramm.
 Third Row: Brockman, Ingold, Meier, Steffen, Chaney, Clampitt.
 Fourth Row: Keller, Murphy, Diesel, Schikore, Milbert, Guller.





First Row: Miss Link, Rice, Summers, Scheer, Cook, Mejia, Palm, Meyer, Chaney, Schaenzer, Miss Robinson.
 Second Row: B. Gillespie, R. McNail, Albertin, Daves, V. McNail, Wetzal, Hatina, DuBois, Hough, Ward, Ladd, Ryan, Andersen.
 Third Row: Casserly, Blair, Doerbaum, D. Gillespie, Britt, Hartin, Costello, Hamlin, Moon, B. Smith, Clampitt, Phipps, Miner.
 Fourth Row: Rombach, Meade, G. Smith, Newcomb, Miller, Deardorff, Griffin, Ahtipus, Ahern, Clack, Wehrli, Carpenter, Weiler, Shaw.



SELLERS OF SERVICE

OFFICERS

Sponsors	{ Miss Link Miss Robinson
President	Mary Lou Cook
Secretary	Peggy Scheer
Treasurer	Del Mejia

Girl Reserves

DESPITE a world of chaos, the Girl Reserves marched along to make this one of their most successful years.

Starting with a "bang," the first activity on the agenda was the bike hike to Fenton. During the holiday season, the girls took a little joy and happiness to the children at the colored orphanage. Prizes were awarded at the Pigtail Party for the shortest, longest, and the "mostest" pigtails! Three other G.R. organizations — Brentwood, Webster, and Kirkwood—were invited to participate in the fun. The Mother and Daughter Banquet, the annual get together of members and their mothers, was another enjoyable occasion. The week end at Montebello, always one of the outstanding events of the year, equaled, if not excelled, all expectations! The Senior Farewell Picnic ended a big year for G.R.

Our sincere thanks to our two sponsors, Miss Link and Miss Robinson, for their wholehearted cooperation, guidance and interest.

The Annual

SINCE the activities of Maple Leaves are set forth in this book, we are using this space to give credit to our behind the scenes workers who otherwise might have gone unsung, and without whose assist-

Clover, Joyce Lauritson, Nancy Townsend, Julia Connard, Corinne Bowden, Barbara Crooks, Sally Weiler, Del Mejia, Marguerite Wetzal, Ginny Keller, Beverly Tucker, Margie Rose, Billie Magruder, Carol Ellison, Eileen Costello, and Mary Barnard.



First Row: M. Guller, Weiler, Hohmann, Doyle, McNabb, Murray, Gray.
 Second Row: Parsons, Frisinger, Schikore, Cook, Moon, Garrett, Hamlin, Brockman, Beimdiek, Emmons.
 Third Row: Tucker, Ellison, Barnard, E. Costello, Miss Sharp, Milbert, Schramm, H. Guller, Leighton, Barnard, Senkosky.
 Fourth Row: Rose, Broeder, Bowden, Clover, Geselschap, Kiely, Meier, Dues, Steffen, Snelson, Ahtipus, Schulz.
 Fifth Row: Townsend, Rombach, Wetzal, Keller, Connard, Statler, Magruder, Griffith, J. Costello, Hartin, Peters, Kemper.
 Sixth Row: Lauritson, Ingold, Rettaire, Lay, Mejia, Thompson, Hrach, Bell, Ruffner, Miller, Clampitt, Chaney, Kendall.

ance this Annual would not have been possible.

Typists: Irmgard Kaiser, Mary Jane Steffen, Wilma Wildebrandt, and Betty Senkosky.

Senior Section: Emma Jean Clampitt, Betty Miller, Alice Chaney, Billie Magruder, Joan Hohmann, Jean Childers, and Janet Ruffner.

Art Work: Betty Kemper, Marilyn Dill, Laurel Mae Schramm, Adrienne Rettaire, Judy Leighton, Jane Kelly, Roland Dapron, and Betty Senkosky.

Advertising: Pat Thompson, Edith Statler, Shirley Gray, Betty Griffith, Mildred Hartin, Jerry Costello, Laurel Schramm, Elinor Meier, Carol Moon, Josephine Bumpass, Brainerd La Tourette, Bob Bell, and Stan Hrach.

Write-ups: Laurel Mae Schramm, Elinor Meier, "Tootsie" Doyle, Ann DuBois, Pay Lay, Stan Hrach, and Elizabeth Wilfley.

Salesmen: Nell Schulz, Barbara Broeder, Faye



HIT THAT DEADLINE!



"I DON'T BELIEVE IT!"

Math Club

"REGULAR meeting of the Math Club in Room 208 after school tonight" Many an ear has vibrated to this familiar third hour announcement.

At these bi-monthly meetings, under the proficient guidance of Mrs. Dana, mathematics, one of the foremost sciences, is translated into an interesting and entertaining program.

Because some standard of consistency must be established, only seniors and select juniors are eligible to belong. Officers are elected each semester by a complicated secret ballot, we are told. Could it be that



First Row: Zerman, Hrach, McKnight, Blank.
Second Row: Wolters, Humberg, Lloyd, Cody, Mrs. Dana.
Third Row: Bender, Zimmerman, Carlson, Couch, Murphy, Gallaher.

OFFICERS

Sponsor	Mrs. Dana
First Semester	Second Semester
	President
Stan Hrach	Jack Wolff
	Vice-President
Bill York	Mark Wolters
	Secretary
Bill McKnight	Warren Couch

they have worked it out mathematically?

Programs consist of games, riddles, brain twisters, interesting talks, not to mention composition of valentine verses, field trips, and movies. It is rumored that many a sweet tooth has been satisfied by the delicious refreshments served by Mrs. Dana.

For good solid fun and free for all discussion stop in Room 208. Visitors are always welcome!

The Rostrum Club

TODAY'S complexities make us realize, more than ever, that the person who can convey his ideas convincingly usually succeeds. For this reason M.R.H. is proud of its Rostrum Club, a division of the National Forensic League. Here the members adjust themselves to speaking situations through practice. Persistent individual effort is the unwritten basic principle.

The Rostrum Club year of '44-'45 found members participating in school assemblies, entertaining at school clubs, and filling many request engagements at civic organizations.

The annual state speech contest climaxed the regional contests, one of which was held at M.R.H. in March.

A debate squad was organized this year—the first since the club year of '42-'43. The question—Resolved: Should the Legal Voting Age Be Lowered to Eighteen Years?

If you have any opinions on the subject, we suggest you steer clear of the Rostrum Debaters. "Them's fightin' words!"



YOUTH SPEAKS ITS MIND

OFFICERS

Sponsor.....	Mr. Welden
President.....	Helen East
Vice-President.....	Mary Ellen Brockman
Secretary.....	Dorothy Welden
Treasurer.....	Jeanette Friel

First Row: Gray, Evans, Brockman, Welden, Friel.
 Second Row: Wolters, Ploussard, Wilfley, Bell, Fritsch.
 Third Row: Emmons, Humberg, Arensmeyer, Hart, Miner.





First Row: B. Steward, Mejia, Johnson, J. Lloyd, Townsend, H. Lloyd, Lay, D. Abernathy, Hamlin, Mrs. Boehm, Ellison, Gooch, J. Steward, Cavanaugh, Barnard, E. Costello, Heller, Schulz, Stewart, M. Moon.
 Second Row: Hoel, Moore, Clover, Rose, Crosby, Leighton, J. Bellows, Carney, Rettaire, Lauritson, Brown, Gracey, Ernst, Boulware, Meyer, Parker, J. Costello, Hartin, Toliver, L. Abernathy, Griffith, Gray, Cook.
 Third Row: Miner, Shaw, Weiler, Rombach, Wetzell, Nelson, Mutrux, Ross, Howald, Albertin, Daves, Palm, McNail, Henderson, Henley, Morten, Roer, Bowden, Augustine, Kibby, Williams, Nash, Palmer, Childers.
 Fourth Row: Growe, Guller, Adams, Ecoff, P. Miller, C. Moon, Smith, English, Ahtipus, Fischer, Haferkamp, Buchroeder, Funk, Niewoehner, Gill, Dunham, E. Andersen, Hough, DuBois, Haag, Kuester, J. Bellows, Best, M. Anderson.
 Fifth Row: Ahern, Straubinger, Twombly, Swanlund, B. Miller, Newcomb, Plake, Dill, Noonan, D. Gillespie, Britt, Doerbaum, Scheer, Summers, Stephens, McNabb, Murray, Kemper, Henry, Poulos, Melton, Kendall, Dolan.
 Sixth Row: Lang, Kemper, Feegle, Wulfmeier, Bott, Stevens, Schaenzer, Johnson, Thompson, Pavlakis, Statler, Mirevalli, Katz, Owens, Myrick, R. Miller, Hess, Smith, Meade, Kaiser, Jahrand, Hoffman, Berryman.

Girls' Athletic Association



"GAM-ORUS" GALS!

OFFICERS

Sponsor	Mrs. Boehm
President	Sue Hamlin
Vice-President	Carol Ellison
Secretary	Regina Gooch
Treasurer	Doris Abernathy

G.A.A. might stand for Georgeous Admirable Athletes, for those adjectives describe members of the Girls' Athletic Association.

Sponsored by Mrs. Boehm, G.A.A. is a club interested not only in sports, but in good fun as well. Hockey, basketball, volleyball, swimming, tennis, badminton, archery, and ping-pong are especially accented.

The Freshman Party and Fall Hike at Shaw's Park brought the club to life. Then came the popular Puff Pant Prom where gals brought gals and came in costume. Another Freshman Party and an initiation around the fire in the Library came hand in hand. Next on the calendar were the Backward Dance and the Spring Hike. Finally, the year came to a close with the Banquet. Here, accompanied by food and tears, letters were awarded and good-byes bestowed.

"M" Club

THESE are the fellows who hang on to those letter sweaters the gals sigh over. Only Varsity lettermen and Senior Track men rate this honor — the true brawny males of M.R.H.

The idea behind the "M" Club is to get the boys together to discuss sports and comment on the moving pictures of different games. Another big feature is the giving of two- or three-year passes to lettermen who have completed their Senior year in athletics.

Of course, you know that it's these boys who are the sponsors of the gala Football Dance. This year there was a conjunction of the Football Dance and the Senior Dance. What a night!

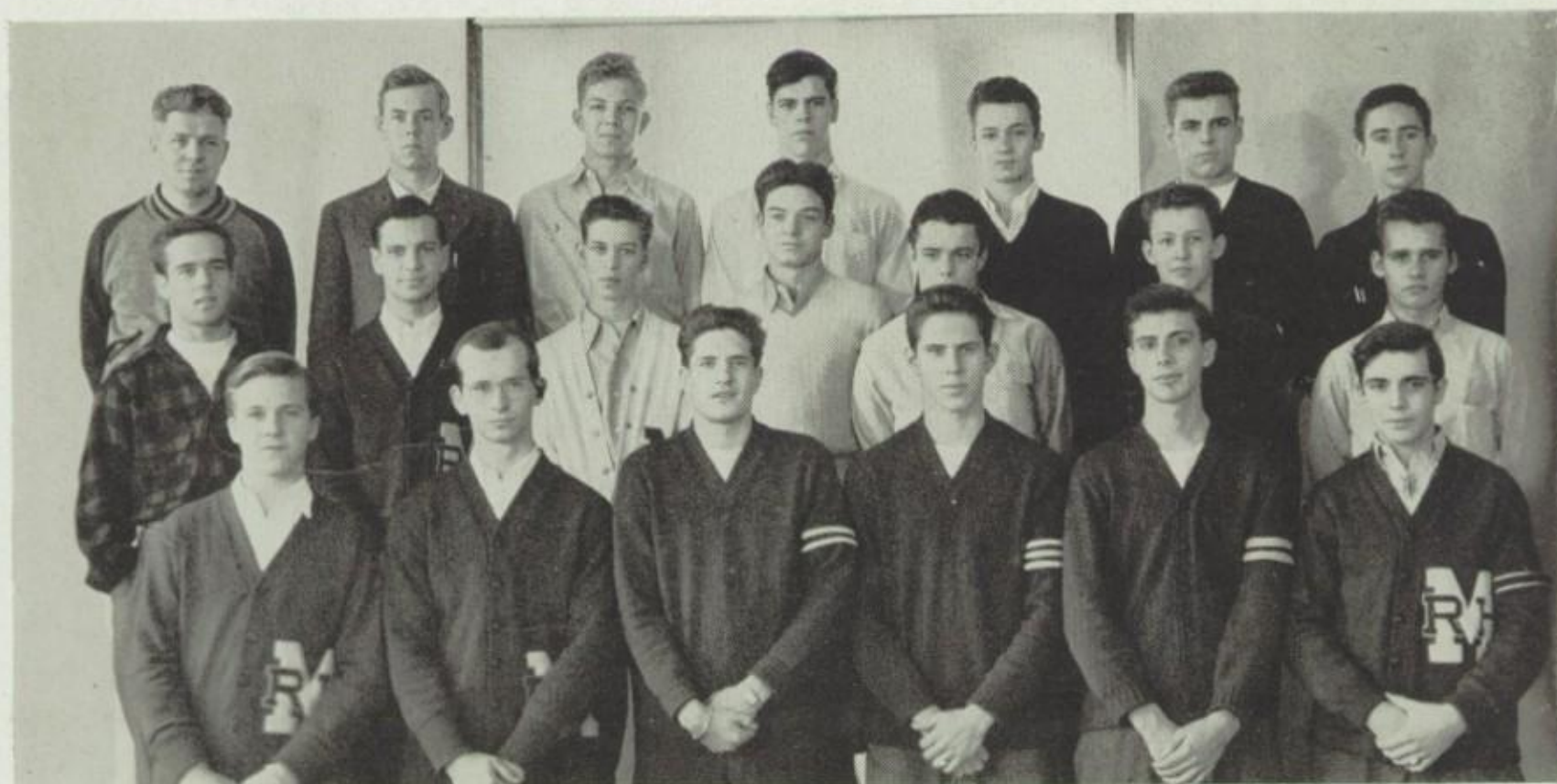
The "M" Club is also doing its part in keeping up the morale of the armed services. Members have taken it upon themselves to write the Maplewood boys in the service to let them know how M.R.H. is getting along in sports.



"M" STANDS FOR MEN

OFFICERS

Sponsor	Mr. Rath
President	Bob Garrett
Vice-President	Harold Watzig
Secretary	Warren Couch



First Row: Stoddard, Abernathy, Straubinger, Watzig, Hicks, Windsor.
Second Row: Garrett, Wind, Hoffmann, Spath, Frisinger, Wolf, Hencken.
Third Row: Mr. Rath, Rogers, Johnson, Ryan, Dapron, Greig, Couch.



GIFTS TO THE BUSINESS WORLD

The Greggites

WE ARE the victims of various and assorted types of torture. We slave all hour over a temperamental typewriter. We take dictation, hundreds of words a minute without stopping. We even read our shorthand notes! Poor us! We have our troubles.

The confusion would be awful to behold when the Boss Man says, "Take a letter, please," if we didn't belong to a good club like The Greggites, which takes the kinks out of us, and turns us into reliable secretaries. It is helpful to have this clear-



First Row: Rose, Parker, Miss Brase, Meier, Daniel.
Second Row: Kaiser, Keller, Schaeffer, Samuels, Thurman, Tucker.
Third Row: Wulfmeier, Byrd, Steffen, Smith, Withington, Hellman, Werle.
Fourth Row: Ellison, Hatina, Berresheim, Voegtli, Wildebrandt, Griffin, Guller, Heberer.

OFFICERS

President.....	Margie Rose
Vice-President.....	Joan Parker
Secretary	Elinor Meier
Treasurer	Estelle Daniel

ing place for our business questions and problems.

To enrich the monthly Friday meetings which are held during class time, guest speakers are often invited. Some sessions are given over to discussions and spelling matches.

Other activities are a hike, a party, and a visit to some outstanding business houses in downtown St. Louis.

Home Economics Club

UGH! What's that I smell burning? Odor-iferous, isn't it? Have no fears, it's just one of the Hecs mustering up a new concoction to put in her famous recipe booklet entitled, "How to Torture Your Future Husband."

Domestic talents are not limited to cooking. Just ask any of them about their dressmaker aprons—sewed, ripped, and re-sewed with their own two hands.

The Hecs had a Valentine party with dancing to recorded music, and cookie refreshments which most of them baked themselves. The customary fun and foolishness prevailed.

The girls also made delicious, crispy popcorn balls and sold them during the lunch periods to help with the expense of those ruffled heart-shaped aprons. Success to this brand-new club! Under the leadership of its co-sponsors, Miss Yackel and Miss Robinson, it brings new life and interest to our roster of active clubs.



WILL YOU TAKE A CHANCE?

OFFICERS

Sponsors.....	Miss Yackel, Miss Robinson
President	Elinor Meier
Vice-President.....	Marguerite Woodruff
Secretary.....	Laurel Mae Schramm
Treasurer.....	Regina Gooch

First Row: Gooch, Meier, Schramm, M. Woodruff.
 Second Row: Holloran, Miss Robinson, E. Woodruff, D. Woodruff, Miss Yackel.
 Third Row: Milbert, Guller, M. Griebel, L. Griebel, Reimer.





First Row: Cleland, Clark, Gellman, Linton, Smith, Gooch, N. Best, Teter.
 Second Row: J. Heberer, Meier, Goeb, Wolf, Doerle, Maddox, J. Coad, Kopp, Goodyzar, Hardy, Aston, Claywell.
 Third Row: Kupferle, Pigott, Raines, Flemmer, Zerman, Frese, Clukies, Barrett, Huesgen, Riley, Griebel, Buerke, Bass, Case, Andrews, Schulz, Phiropolous, S. Best, Roberts.
 Fourth Row: Wilfley, Diesel, Basden, Gordon, Perkins, Burns, Bosse, Tolle, J. Fleener, D. Coad, Edmonds, Stephens, Sans Souci, Farrar, Phillips, Sewell, Dent, Carlson, Hohmann, Bellows, Sheller, Brockschmitt, Mahoney.
 Fifth Row: Whitehill, Kuester, Mr. Best, Mr. Rosevear, Welden, Ruffner, Coleman, Miller, Mrs. Leek, Mr. Vossbrink, A. Fleener, Harris, LeFrancois.
 Holding Flag: Reed, Alexander, Fortado.



STRIKE UP THE BAND!

OFFICERS

Director	Mr. Best
Assistant Directors.....	Mrs. Leek, Mr. Rosevear
President	Kenneth Dent
Vice-President	John Hardy
Secretary	Pat Teter
Treasurer	John Hohmann

Band

VERSATILITY is the word that best describes the M.R.H. Band. The well balanced programs that it has given this year attest to this statement. Even the proverbial Wooden Indian can't resist them when the Marching Band in its handsome attire swings into a rousing rhythm, and the long hairs have been seen nodding approval when the Concert Band finishes one of its Symphonic Tone Poems. Then, too, everyone enjoys it when they give out with a little Boogie Woogie.

The Christmas and Spring Concerts were well attended and received high praise. Mr. Best and the serenaders of the first hour study hall were in fine shape for the Music Festival at University City. The excellent criticism they received was well deserved.

The new practice rooms which we expect to have soon will give the first hour study students a chance to study or sleep, and the Band a place to give out with everything it has.

Orchestra

"MUSIC hath Charm," said the poet, and we are inclined to agree after listening to the M.R.H. Orchestra. Though the group was smaller in numbers this year, it still maintained its high quality of performance.

OFFICERS

Director	Mr. Best
Assistant Director.....	Miss Wilkerson
President	Betty Berresheim
Vice-President.....	Josephine Bumpass
Secretary.....	Marcella Bumpass



First Row: Ridenour, B. Berresheim, Bott, Wilkinson, Melton, Milbert, Beimdiek.
 Second Row: Humberg, Haag, Adams, Brennecke, Aston, Claywell, Roberts, Linton, Gooch, Teter, Fresz, Zerman, Schlemmer, S. Heberer.
 Third Row: Spooner, Rentschler, Nelms, Elges, Clark, Cleland, J. Heberer, Doerle, J. Coad, Goodyear, Mahoney, Hardy, Tolle, Dent, Carlson, Hohmann, M. Bumpass, J. Bumpass, Peters, Palmer.
 Fourth Row: Wilfley, Goeb, West, Meier, Mr. Best, Welden, Whitehill, Alexander, Reed, Wehrli, Miller, Smith, Hart, LeFrancois, Meade, Doerbaum, Davis, Halbert, Miss Wilkerson, Poulos, Riggle.

At the University City Music Festival in April it really came into its own, and that fact was confirmed by the rating of the judges. It should be noted here that several of its members played solos at this Festival. The well executed Christmas and Spring Concerts in which the Orchestra participated were musical treats enjoyed by many.

Several members belong to other Orchestras such as the Philharmonic, the Women's Symphony, and the All-County Orchestra.

The sureness of the strings, the delicacy of the wood winds, plus the ringing quality of the brasses, minus the usual off beat of the percussions brought success throughout the year to this fine musical organization.



RHAPSODY IN BLUE AND WHITE



SOLID SENDERS

Girls' Glee Club

AS the girls open their mouths and the golden notes roll forth, we pause a moment to catch a little of that melody for which the Girls' Glee Club is so famous. They are doing that gay "Swing Along" number, an infectious tune, which is a real lifter-upper at the end of the day.

Can you imagine the quality and volume from one-hundred and thirty throats? This is the biggest Glee Club in the history of M.R.H. and, furthermore, these girls stay after school to participate. Practice is from three-thirty to four each Wednesday.

The first chance to appear came at the Christmas Concert, followed closely by the



First Row: O'Brien, Barnard, Anderson, Growe, Guller, Unis, Kuester, Linton, Wehrli, Miss Wilkerson, Mr. Best, Henry, Haag, E. Costello, Clover, Ellison, Rinderknecht, Nelson.
 Second Row: Grant, Leighton, Dolan, Melton, Stephens, Rose, Tucker, Werle, Broeder, Hohmann, Weiler, Wulfmeier, S. Best, M. Anderson, Phiropolous, Mahoney, Mutrux.
 Third Row: Doyle, Hess, Guller, Tilden, Fleming, Kibby, Buchroeder, Whitehill, Stellhorn, Moon, Alfultis, Daves, Augustinz, Dugdale, Schramm, Williams, Funk, Gooch.
 Fourth Row: Gray, Reimer, Shaw, Kemper, Cook, Lauritson, Alexander, La Voie, Toliver, Scheer, Miller, Howald, Detmers, Clampitt, Phipps, Schulz, McNabb, Griebel, Bott, Niewoehner.
 Fifth Row: Magruder, Ernst, Bailey, Hartin, Kendall, Bellows, Boulware, Chaney, Haferkamp, Haukap, Griffith, Bellows, Myrick, J. Costello, Ecoff, Gottfried, Hough, Lang, Wease.
 Sixth Row: Rombach, Lay, Heller, Gault, Edmonds, Palmer, Whitehill, Smith, Mejia, Meier, Summers, Mirevalli, Robinson, Ruffner, Albertin, Ingold, Murray, Burkett, Wetzal, Kaiser.

OFFICERS

Director	Mr. Best
Assistant Director	Miss Wilkerson
President	Mary Lou Cook
Vice-President	Joan Hohmann
Secretary-Treasurer	Billie Magruder

Christmas Assembly. Weeks of practice put the club in fine shape for the Spring Concert and the University City Festival. Results excellent!

If you're interested, these performers can be booked through Mr. Best.

A Cappella Choir

TRIUMPHANTLY, songs of the old masters, lyrics of the light operas, folk tunes of every people blend into a mighty chorus of memories for A Cappella Choir.

This past year our Choir has again pleased many assembly and concert audiences. December 7, 1944, they presented the memorable "Requiem" as a fitting tribute to our M.R.H. boys who have made the supreme sacrifice. Their first public performance was at the Christmas Concert given by our Music Department. "Bon Noel" rang from every selection. At the command performance before the Rotary Club, A Cappella was at its best. All year the Choir worked industriously toward the County Music Festival held in April at University City.

As a fitting recognition of their abilities, twenty-four members were chosen to sing in the All-County Chorus directed by Henry Farbman. This group later sang with the All-County Band.



THE MELODY LINGERS ON

OFFICERS

Director	Mr. Best
Assistant Director.....	Miss Wilkerson
President—	
First Semester.....	Bill Breitenstein
Second Semester	Ed Heidbreir
Vice-President	Charles Prince
Secretary	Mary Lou Cook
Treasurer.....	Roland Dapron

First Row: Mr. Best, Broeder, B. Miller, Tucker, Guller, Ellison, Werle, Rose, Hohmann, Miss Wilkerson.
 Second Row: Hess, Alexander, Detmers, Neiheiser, Gerber, Ott, Jones, Fritsch, Clover, Burkett Scheer, R. Miller.
 Third Row: Anderson, Doyle, Toliver, Howald, Magruder, Heidbreir, Kretschmar, Susman, Wease, Bailey, Wetzell, Cook, Bellows.
 Fourth Row: Robinson, Meier, Mejia, Smith, Whitehill, Hoel, Polinsky, Brady, Dapron, Prince, DePew, Saak, Kaiser, Heller, Childers, Alftultis.





Strength



AS any athlete can testify, the best game is the one in which the going gets the toughest, for then a team can show what it is made of: physical stamina, mental endurance, and moral certainty. Thus, through our athletics we build strength in fair sportsmanship and friendly competition. With clean, straight bodies and conditioned muscles, we stand ready for the "Ref's" whistle, knowing that with our training we shall not break in the game of life.

Through Sports



First Row: Lore, Frisinger, Ryan, Vogts, Greig, Mackey, Stoddard, Watzig, Garrett.
 Second Row: Motley, Jacobsen, Johnson, Rogers, Pappas, Wolf, Rose, Straubinger, Beimdiek.
 Third Row: Mr. Robertson, Gordon, Gabler, Dapron, Verser, Henley, Klinger, Windsor, Mr. Weber.



CO-CAPTAIN VOGTS

VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Date	School	They	We
September 22	Beaumont	6	12
September 29	Clayton	13	0
October 7	U. City	19	0
October 13	C. B. C.	15	32
October 20	Kirkwood	6	12
October 27	Normandy	7	6
November 3	St. Louis U. High	6	13
November 8	St. Charles	6	14
November 14	Webster	27	0

Varsity Football

FACED with the most difficult schedule in the county, the Maplewood Blue Devils, under the able coaching of Mr. Weber, came through the 1944 season with five victories to their credit. The team succeeded in defeating Beaumont, the City League champions, and Christian Brothers College, Prep League champions. Also counted among its triumphs were the games played in rainy weather with St. Louis University High and St. Charles, both of whom were undefeated until their respective games with Maplewood.

The outstanding personality of the past season, Watzig, brought laurels to M.R.H. by winning All-District honors. He was also chosen as end on the All-St. Louis District Team sponsored by St. Louis newspapers. McAdow, the steady guard, and Vogts, the hard driv'n' quarterback, were elected co-captains by the team. Frisinger, Garrett, Thayer, and Mackey in the back field deserve applause. In the line, Greig, Ryan, McAdow, and Watzig all made a fine showing.

GOOD MEN! GOOD TEAM!

Sophomore Football

WINNING four out of six games on its schedule, the Sophomore Team this year made a fine record. Coach McClanahan says it is the best group that he has worked with at M.R.H. Take a bow, boys!

As most of the fellows were able to play

any position, men who aspire to Varsity were developed and trained. Strong prospects for that honor showed up in individual skills and cooperative team play. We'll be looking for you next year, fellas, and wishing you luck!



First Row: Frisinger, Monahan, Horvat, Haferkamp, McBride, Riley, Kopp.
Second Row: Young, Williams, Green, Cherry, Mr. McClanahan, Moran, Bollmeier, Fend, Maddox.
Third Row: Williams, DePew, Harris, Gay, Cancienne, Lambert, Dodson, Diesel, Toliver, Susman, Kelly.
Fourth Row: Billmeyer, Claywell, Frahm, Aubuchon, Allen, Phillips, Speiser, Whalen, Fleming, Higgins, Balducci, Ploussard.

SOPHOMORE TEAM SCHEDULE

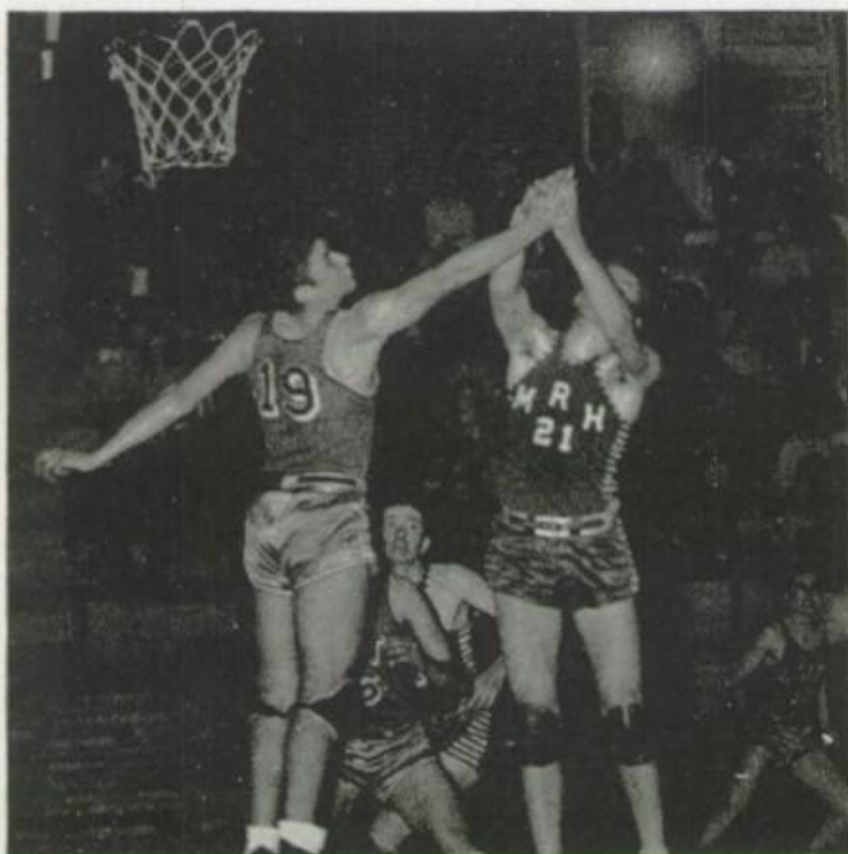
Date	School	They	We
October 5	C. B. C.	6	7
October 9	Webster	6	9
October 19	Kirkwood	20	13
October 26	Clayton	0	12
October 30	Webster	6	0
November 7	Normandy	6	27



RAH! RAH! TEAM!



Front to Back: Wind, Dolan, Frisinger, Dent, James, Hicks (Co-captain), Watzig (Co-captain), Willingham, Hagemann, Ellis, Kopp, Wulfmeier, Mr. Robertson.



TENSE MOMENT

"A" TEAM TOURNAMENT

SUB-REGIONAL

Date	School	They	We
Feb. 20—	John Burroughs.....	36	41
Feb. 22—	Brentwood	31	33
Feb. 23—	Webster	43	45

REGIONAL

Mar. 1—	McBride	40	47
Mar. 2—	Beaumont	26	20
Mar. 3—	Normandy	39	26

"A" Basketball

AFTER a slow start, the basketball season gathered momentum, and ended with a flourish! The tougher the teams the better our boys played.

Boasting a winning streak of five games, the underrated Blue Devils won the Sub-Regional. The two thrilling victories over Brentwood and Webster in that tourney were the season's highlights.

With eight straight wins to their credit, M.R.H. players were tagged by the newspapers as "The Giant Killers." They won their ninth straight to place in the Regional as one of the four best teams out of thirty-five in the district. A proud record for any team!

Hicks made the Suburban All-Star Team, and Wind honorable mention. Their fine play together with the brilliant work of Watzig, Dent, Queenan, Ellis, Willingham, James, and Hagemann gave M.R.H. a splendid season.

The "B" and "C" Teams, coached by Mr. Larason and Mr. Coy respectively, had enviable records. Good Varsity material is assured by the fine work of these fast squads.

"B" Team

First Row: Mr. Larason, Cancienne, Coleman, Redford, Wilkinson.
Second Row: Sullivan, Frisinger, Neise, Haferkamp, Heeter.
Third Row: Allen, Phillips, Aubuchon, Wolff, Higgins.



"A" TEAM SCHEDULE

Date	School	They
Dec. 8	South Side Catholic	27
Dec. 12	Blewett	31
Dec. 15	Kirkwood	29
Dec. 19	Normandy	32
Dec. 22	Ritenour	22
Jan. 5	Wellston	25
Jan. 9	University City	30
Jan. 12	Webster	35
Jan. 19	Normandy	37
Jan. 26	Clayton	18
Feb. 2	St. Charles	32
Feb. 9	University City	26
Feb. 13	Webster Groves	40
Feb. 16	Melville	32

"B" TEAM SCHEDULE

We	School	They	We
19	South Side Catholic	47	11
29	Blewett	16	21
34	Kirkwood	20	26
30	Normandy	33	28
41	Wellston	17	15
16	University City	20	27
32	Webster	38	31
30	Normandy	17	16
35	Clayton	31	39
38	St. Charles	25	40
47	C. B. C.	21	26
46	University City	25	19
57	Webster	40	34
45	Melville	22	21



"C" Team

First Row: Sans Souci, Panosh, Heeter, Mr. Coy, Wilkinson, Bollmeier.
Second Row: Taylor, Redford, Young, Gordon, Wolf, Mullally, Wetzel, Arensmeyer.
Third Row: Frisinger, Phillips, Claywell, Aubuchon, Allen, Dilthey, Sieker.



KEEPIN' IN TRIM

Senior Track

WITH the Annual going to press before the competition of the present track season is under way, we will venture to say that this year's track team will carry on the M.R.H. winning tradition. Lettermen returning to back up this prediction include: Harold Watzig, all around athlete and record holder of the Senior 440 yd. dash; Jim Ryan, a 6 ft., 200 pounder, in the shot put; Warren Couch, Junior 440 record breaker of last year; and a fine group of sprinters from last year's good Junior Relay team including Bob Hoffmann, Herb Klinger, and Bill Morgan. Other Junior letter winners of last year



First Row: Rogers, Babbitt, Siefert, Watzig, Ellis, Couch, Hoffmann.
 Second Row: Healey, Rose, Dempsey, Schikore, Rudolph, Hayes.
 Third Row: Mr. Coy, Tremain, Coad, York, Edwards, Stevens, Altemeyer, Mr. Rath.

Senior Track Schedule

Date	School	
April 6.....	Kirkwood	Here
April 12.....	Webster	Here
April 17.....	C. B. C.	There
April 20.....	St. Louis.....	Here
April 26.....	McBride	Here
May 11.....	District	Public Stadium
May 19.....	State	Columbia

who are outstanding candidates this year are: Bob "Spider" Ellis, high jumper and hurdler; Bob Siefert, hurdler; Bill Babbitt, pole vaulter; and Al Rogers, 440 runner and shot putter.

To overcome spring fever and that stuffy winter feeling, Coach Rath recommends a workout with this high-powered outfit.

Junior Track

THE Junior Division Track Team does not refer to grade in school, but to the qualification that all boys must be under sixteen years and seven months old. Therefore, the team is composed largely of freshmen and sophomores who have a full season's competition, and whose points are counted equally with those of the Senior team's in the dual and district meets which are held. Some forty candidates for this team are working out daily under the direction of Coaches Harold Rath and Warren Coy. If the spirit of their practice workouts is an indication of success, they should win their share this year for M.R.H., since all of last year's Junior letter winners advanced to represent the blue and white.

Just as we go to press, we have learned the leading scorers in the dual meet season are Bob Ellison, pole vault — 19 points; Ken Greene, 440 yard dash — 17 points; and Troy Cleland, hurdler — 15 points.

Watch them pile up points for our side in those spring events just ahead!



SPRING WORKOUT

Junior Track Schedule

Date	School	
April 6.....	Kirkwood	Here
April 12.....	Webster	Here
April 17.....	C. B. C.	There
April 20.....	St. Louis.....	Here
April 26.....	McBride	Here
May 11.....	District	Public Stadium

First Row: Wheeler, Rosenberg, Williams, Deardorff, Greene, Ploussard, Wann, Taggart.
 Second Row: Wilkinson, Kraemer, Hill, Jacobsen, Sans Souci, Koechling, Frisinger, Spiros.
 Third Row: Main, Fleming, Gaffney, Anderson, Phillips, Coad, Wilson, Green, Ward.
 Fourth Row: Mr. Coy, Seymour, Gill, Wolf, Fend, Werner, Pruett, Wolff, Aubuchon, Mr. Rath.





First Row: Austin, B. McBride, Spitznagle, Blank, Dapron, Jacobsen, Monahan, Hencken, Notter.
 Second Row: Striler, Schuler, Gremaud, Green, Hohmann, Lambert, Horvat, E. McBride, Leutzinger, Wolf.
 Third Row: Mr. Del Pizzo, D. Williams, Smith, Johnson, Stevens, Prince, Motley, Garrett, R. Williams.



THE CHAMPS!

SCHEDULE

Date	School	They	We
Jan. 5—	Webster	26	14
Jan. 9—	Ritenour	23	14
Jan. 16—	Normandy	26	18
Jan. 18—	Ritenour	21	13
Jan. 23—	Kirkwood	15	29
Feb. 7—	Webster	24	14
Feb. 9—	Ferguson	7	31
Feb. 23—	Kirkwood	21	19

STATE MEET RESULTS

Maplewood	31
Kirkwood	31
Normandy	19
Webster	19
Ferguson	10
McKinley	5

Wrestling

ALL hail the conquering heroes of the mat! The 1945 wrestling season started slowly, for M.R.H. won only three of its ten scheduled dual matches. As the State Tournament drew closer, however, the team grew stronger.

On March 9 and 10, at Webster Groves High School, our team, State Championship title holder since 1941, redeemed itself by tying Kirkwood for first place. Maplewood crowned four champions: Ed Notter, 103 lb. champion; Bob McBride, 127 lb. champion; Elmer McBride, 120 lb. champion; and Jack Monahan, 145 lb. champion. In addition, Ken Wolf won second place in the 130 lb. class, Bob Garrett took third place in the 138 lb. class, and Jack Gillespie placed third in the heavyweight.

Outright title holders for four straight years, our wrestlers actually made it a fifth straight victory even though the honor is shared with Kirkwood.

Rifle Club

EVERY night at Valley School, the halls echo with the shots of the M.R.H. Rifle Club. There are thirty members in three squads. Each squad shoots two nights a week, and the team shoots Monday nights and Saturday mornings.

Mr. E. L. Wilkerson replaced Mr. Kem-

per as instructor and under his able direction, the club is going ahead. Three new rifles have been purchased.

For long-range shooting of fifty yards or up, the club expects to use the St. Charles Rifle Range this spring and summer.



First Row: Spiros, B. Wilkinson, Henshaw, Williams, Taylor.
Second Row: Bartley, Ellison, Harris, Thompson, Hill, H. Wilkinson, Deardorff.

Awards

Name	Rank	Bars
Harry Wilkinson	Sharpshooter	I
Russell Hill	Sharpshooter	I
Dave Thompson	Sharpshooter	I
Glover Harris	Sharpshooter	I-II
Alan Deardorff	Sharpshooter	I-IV
Jim Spiros	Sharpshooter	I-IV
Bob Ellison	Sharpshooter	I-V
Bill Wilkinson	Sharpshooter	I-V
Wesley Henshaw	Sharpshooter	I-VI
Don Williams	Sharpshooter	I-IX

OFFICERS

Sponsor	Mr. Wilkinson
President	Roland Schikore
Vice-President	Wesley Henshaw
Range Chief and Secretary	Bill Wilkinson
Treasurer	Bob Ellison
Squad Leaders	{ Don Williams Jim Spiros Harry Wilkinson



TRIGGER TRIPPERS



"SALLYS OF THE ALLEYS"

Girls' Bowling

"SAY, what is this? Bowling or basketball?" remarks a shrewd bystander, as one of the members of our Girls' Bowling Team bounces the ball down the alley.

This is strictly off the record: these girls are really good! Especially shining examples are Dorothy Sheller and Joan Parker who are the pin-up girls of the pin boys. Every Wednesday afternoon finds these M.R.H. High Rollers at Saratoga trying to beat each other out of a game. Their sponsor, Miss Herman, accompanies them



First Row: Daniel, Wulfmeier, Parker, Miss Herman, Coleman.
Second Row: L. Abernathy, White, Hambly, Null, Corley, Conaway.
Third Row: Johnson, Dunham, Childers, West, Guller, May.
Fourth Row: Miller, Mooney, Meier, D. Abernathy, Sheller, Loeblein.

OFFICERS

Sponsor.....	Miss Herman
President.....	Olive Coleman
Vice-President.....	Joan Parker
Secretary-Treasurer.....	Beverly Shirk

and takes part in the bowling, too. She is one of the very best.

The team had no tournaments, but from their scores we know they would offer stiff competition for any team. Yes, without a doubt, these are the true "Belles of the Saratoga Ballroom."

Boys' Bowling

THEY'RE on their own! Yes, due to conditions beyond their control, this year finds the Maplewood Boys' Bowling Club without a sponsor. That's not holding them back, though; they're just as unbeatable as ever.

When they discovered their loss, the boys got together and organized an all-school team. The members are Charles Borth, Stan Zerman, Bud Hausmann, Paul Menser, and Walter Harmon. We hear that they are all high rollers.

One match has already been marked down to their credit, a victory over Soldan High, and there are still two to go with Roosevelt and University City High in the not too distant future. Taking their club seriously, our team is out to win, regardless of the lack of sponsorship.

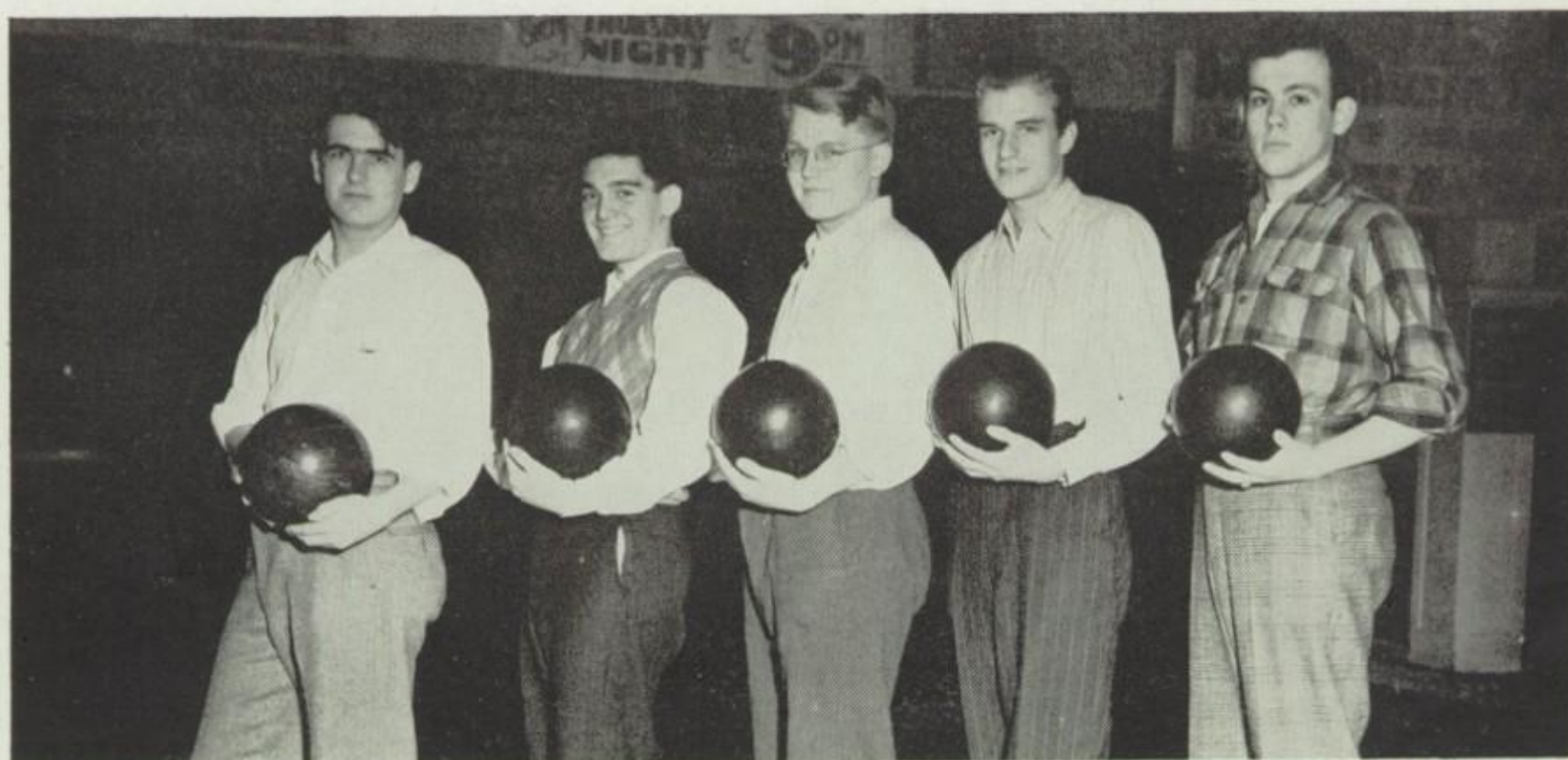
These fellows have one great ambition; that is, to compete in a bowling match with the faculty of good ol' M.R.H.



HARD HITTIN' HARMON

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES

Borth	178
Harmon	168
Hausmann	160
Zerman	152
Menser	148



Menser, Harmon, Hausmann, Borth, Zerman.



First Row: Wulfmeier, Gill, Dunham.

Second Row: Daughetee, Palm, J. Steward, Coleman, Mrs. Boehm, Howald, Samuels, Ellison, Rose.

Third Row: Berryman, P. Miller, Barnard, Leighton, Daves, Mutrux, Haferkamp, Buchroeder, Owens, Smith, Myrick, R. Miller.

Fourth Row: Gray, Niewoehner, Gracey, Bellows, Palmer, H. Lloyd, J. Lloyd, Stecher, B. Steward, Twombly, Straubinger, McNail, Swanlund, Melton.

Fifth Row: Kuester, Griebel, Lang, Cavanaugh, Ernst, Lay, English, Brennecke, Abernathy, Miner, Casserly, Stewart, Shaw, Woodruff.



STICK CHICKS

Sponsor Mrs. Boehm

CLASS CAPTAINS

Freshman Gloria Lang

Sophomore Billie Steward

Junior Jean Howald

Senior Olive Coleman

Girls' Hockey

HOCKEY, the favorite sport of M.R.H. girls, really advanced this year by leaps and bounds — yea, literally — you should see those girls knock that ball (and the referee).

Hockey Day at Washington University was the biggest event of this year's season. Results were in all the papers, and some members of the team had their pictures taken.

Speed and light foot work are two necessary qualifications for this exciting game, a field variety of that most thrilling sport, ice hockey, and don't think for a minute that the girls slow it down.

Regina Gooch is known for her quick foot work, Jean Howald is a whizz at holding the ball, and Earlene Daughetee is expert on the drive—to mention just a few girls who make up this hardy team.

Keep it up, girls! A black and blue knee or finger is a badge of merit to the super hockey star!

Girls' Basketball

"A TISKET, a tasket—we've made another basket!" is always the theme song of the Girls' Basketball Teams. After playing as many as twenty-one games, their total shots really added up, although the competition was plenty tough!

Varsity Captain.....Olive Coleman

CLASS CAPTAINS

Freshman	Carol Moon
Sophomore	Billie Steward
Junior.....	Marie Stecher
Senior	Joan Steward



First Row: Milbert, Dunham, Wulfmeier, Coleman, J. Steward, Heller, Billington, Samuels, Bott.
 Second Row: J. Lloyd, English, Gracey, Boulware, Senkosky, Clampitt, Mrs. Boehm, Steffen, Miller, Daniel, Harrison, H. Lloyd, Stecher.
 Third Row: B. Steward, Cavanaugh, Straubinger, Schulz, Peters, Miner, Shaw, Miller, Myrick, Cole, Smith, Stewart, Brennecke, Ernst.
 Fourth Row: Niewoehner, Hamlin, Daves, Williams, Melton, Anderson, Palmer, Lang, Buchroeder, Stellhorn, Moon, Bellows, Kuester, Townsend, Howald.

One of the two main highlights of their schedule, the Play Day at Webster High, in which all county schools participated, provided lots of fun—plus some really honest-to-goodness work! The other, a Varsity Play Day, held February 10 at Kirkwood High, included a speed shooting contest, which, to say the least, was a fast little affair.

Olive Coleman, Madeline Dunham, Mary Billington, Joan Steward, Jane Lloyd, and Rosemary Samuels were only some of the many outstanding players on the Varsity Team.

Constant practice each Tuesday and Friday afternoon under the able supervision of the coach, Mrs. Boehm, prepared them well for each challenging game!



IT'S A TOSS-UP!



Enjoyment



I N later years, what will we remember of our life here? Perhaps only the glow of the sun upon Her hair, or the whiteness of His smile. In the next pages we have recorded a few of the moments we believe you will retain: dances of crepe paper and swishing formals and lovely queens; after-school sessions around a juke box, drinking cokes and munching pretzels — after all, what remains longest in the heart? Nothing but the sounds of cleats on saddles stepping carefree through the echoing halls of M.R.H.

Through Recreation



Miss Carol Ellison
Senior-Football Dance Queen

To a really swell
girl and a
coming up and
freshman.
Carol

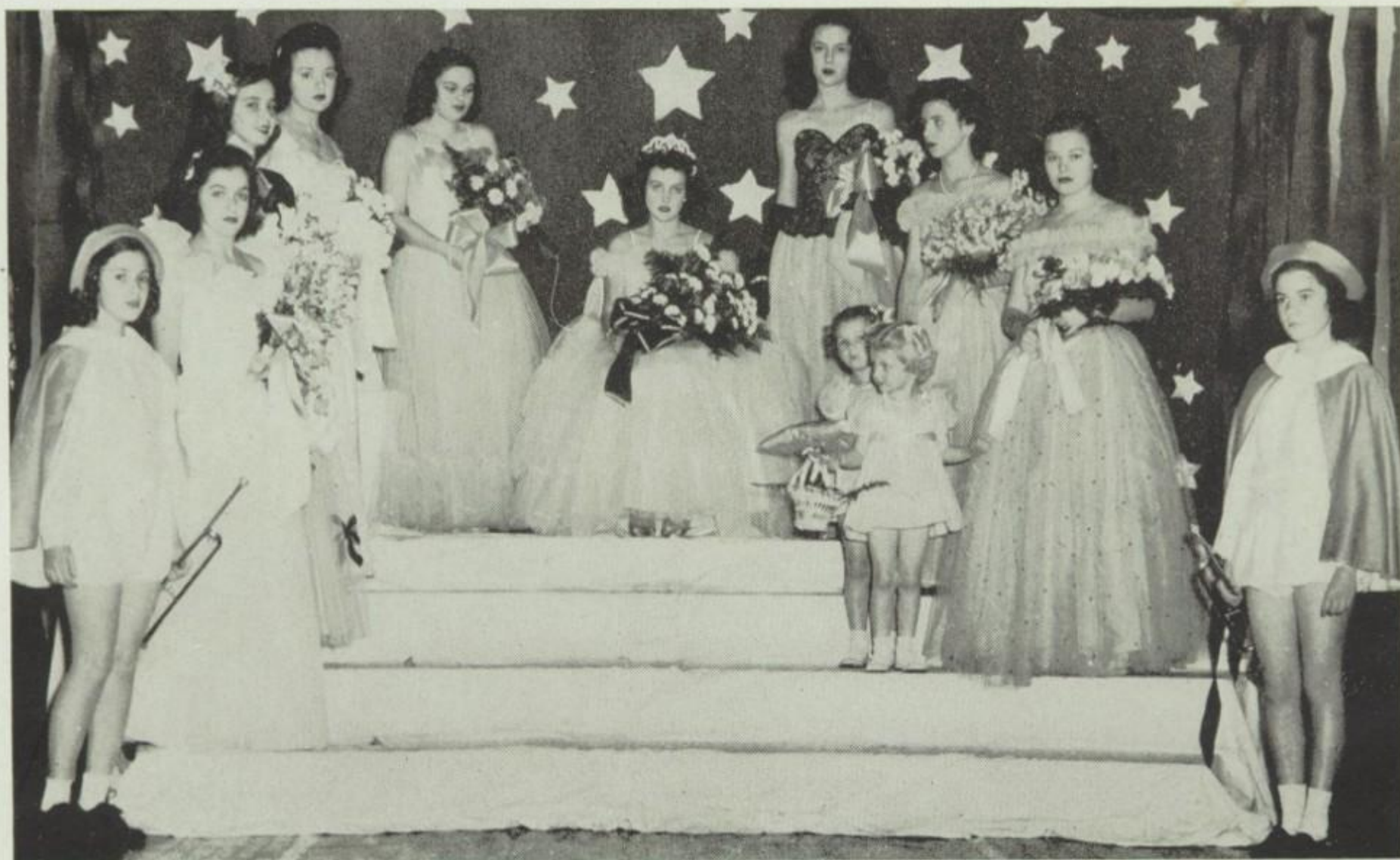
The Senior-Football Dance

SATURDAY night, December 9, 1944, will be remembered in the minds and hearts of many an M.R.H. Grad. It was the night of the Senior Football Dance. For conservative and patriotic reasons, the two dances were combined, making the affair doubly delightful.

With its blue background covered with sparkling silver stars, the impressive snow-covered throne was a fitting setting for King Winter. Twisted blue and white streamers which made a canopy over the gym added much to the beauty of the setting.

The Co-Captains of the Football Team, LeRoy Vogts and Gordon McAdow, began the ceremony by taking their places at either end of the throne to the music of "On Blue Devils." The royal procession, heralded by Jo Ann Connard and Ann Coombs, then was announced by the Senior Class President, Harold Watzig.

To the heavenly strains of "Sweet and Lovely," played by Bob Kelly's Band, the retiring Annual Queen, Miss Audrey Press, took her place on the throne. She was followed by Miss Mary Hawley, retiring Football Queen. The special maids then appeared, and one by one made their bow to the retiring queens. They were: Miss Judy Leighton, Freshman Maid; Miss Margie Garrett, Sophomore Maid; Miss Jane Kelly, Junior Maid; and the Misses Margie Rose and Joan Steward, Senior Maids. Carol Ann and Mary Ruth McClanahan, crown-bearer and flower girl, preceded the queen. With the stage thus set, the 1944 Senior-Football Dance Queen, Miss Carol Ellison, was announced. She approached the throne, was crowned by the retiring queens, and now reigns supreme until another year rolls around. The remainder of the evening was given over to dancing. Thus ended another night to record in our album of memories!





Miss Joan Steward
Junior-Senior Prom Queen

Junior-Senior Prom

MY, that was a perfect night — the girls beautiful in their yards and yards of net and satin; the fellows handsomer than ever; the music simply divine! At least we know it will be, although once again, because of production demands, we are forced to report in March an event which will not take place 'til May. Anything we say, however, will not be an exaggeration if we can judge by the Proms of previous years.

The grand procession precedes the dance. This year, with fanfare and formality, Her Majesty's Court will convene again. The crowd is hushed and the President of the Junior Class, Ray Gallaher, starts the promenade by announcing the fourteen Junior Ribbon-Bearers: the Misses Joan Ahtipus, Dorothy Beasley, Pat Burkett, Betty Carney, Mary Ann Cavanaugh, Janis Geselschap, Peggy Jenkins, Joyce Lauritson, Mickie LaVoie, Pat Lay, Jane Lloyd, Margo Murray, Nancy Town-

send, and Delores Williams. Next comes the retiring Queen, Miss Margie Verser, who takes her place on the throne to preside over the ceremony. She is followed by two special Senior Maids, Miss Mary Brady and Miss Margie Rose. The six Junior Maids: the Misses Virginia Austin, Sue Hamlin, Jane Kelly, Claire Kiely, Adrienne Rettaire, and Mary Wilkinson, then make their entrance. Now the long-awaited moment has arrived, the presentation of the Queen. Preceded by the Crown-Bearer and Flower Girls, the new Queen, dark and lovely Joan Steward, approaches her throne and is crowned by the retiring Queen.

Thus ends the colorful pageantry. Escorts swarm around, claiming their partners for the first dance, and the evening is off to a grand start.

Come May, we'll be seeing you there to verify all this.



Outstanding Senior Girl

FOR years and years we've had a Senior Dance at M.R.H. Reigning at this big spring formal was the Annual Queen selected by the subscribers to the Maple Leaves. Last year, the dance was a casualty of the times, and this year it was combined with the Football Dance. So—we lost a queen, but gained an idea. Why not select an all-school favorite senior girl to have top honors in our book? On the opposite page we present to you the "winnah," Miss Marjorie Rose. "Margie" is undoubtedly one of the Senior Class prize possessions. As you can see by her many activities, she is an all-around girl with

plenty of pep, and best of all she has time for a smile and a chat with teachers, classmates, and undergrads alike.

Martha Moon ran second in this contest and Dorothy Scheidt third. What an editor of a year book has to undergo shouldn't happen to a dog, so we're glad Martha received this honor to offset all the unpleasant things. "Dottie" is one of M.R.H.'s pin-up girls, lovely to look at and fun to know. Congratulations to these popularity girls! May the winners of succeeding years be as pert, pretty, and worthy of recognition!



MARTHA MOON



DOTTIE SCHEIDT

So a very wonderful girl - Best of luck. Love, Martha



Miss Margie Rose
Outstanding Senior Girl

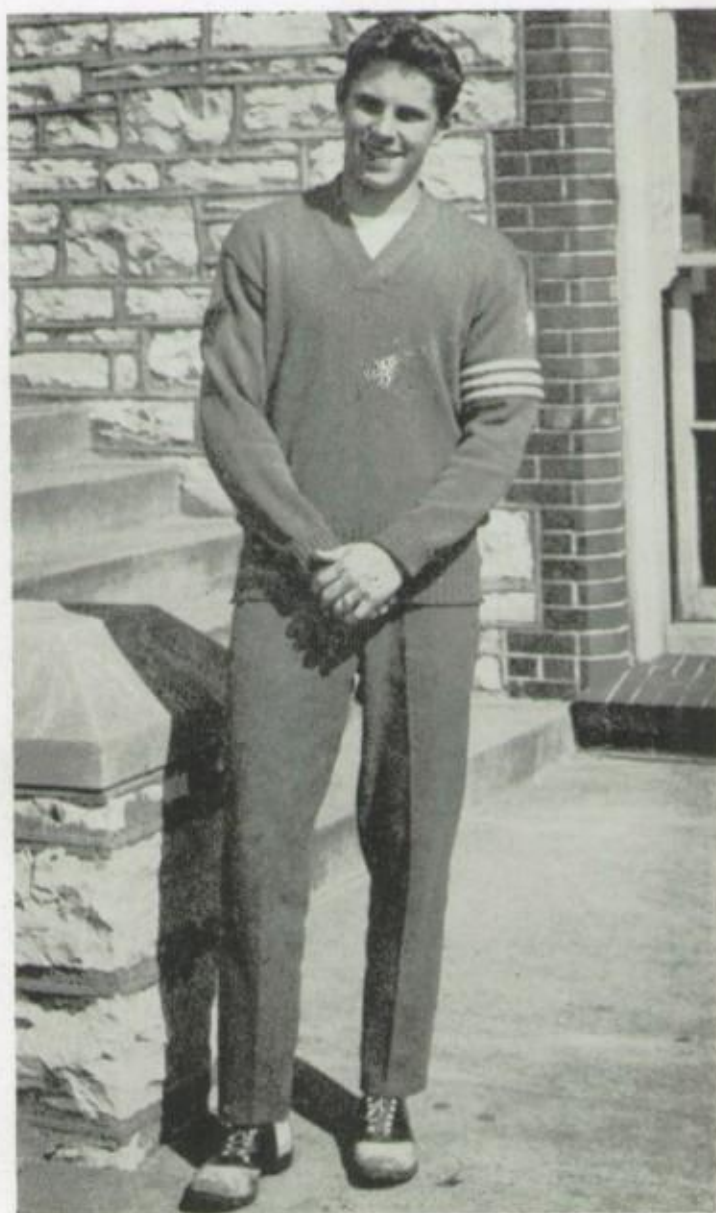
The Backward Dance

CAN this be Ye Ol' Maplewood Gym? What a transformation!

Various shades of blue streamers combined with white create a beautiful dome overhead, while white life-like silhouettes on the walls are a clever camouflage. Al Judd's superb music floats out of the windows, a tempting invitation to join the fun.

Since plans are not yet completed for this big affair to be held on April 14, we have to imagine a bit. We can tell you that it is a man's world, just for a night! The gals pay, drag, and furnish corsages, made of a curious lot of candy, vegetables, gum, and cigarettes, if they are available, for the fellows of their choosing.

The big moment of the dance comes when the Jacks are announced. It is whispered that this year they will pop out of huge Jack-in-the-Boxes. Jacks are: Freshman, Bobby Striler; Sophomore, Bud Babbitt; Junior, Bill Babbitt; Senior, Ken Wolf. These precede His Royal Highness, Harold Watzig, who emerges from the biggest and fanciest box, advances to the throne, and is officially crowned high po-



HAROLD WATZIG

tentate of the evening. Midnight comes all too soon, and another successful G.A.A. Dance has taken its place in the long procession of hops we've enjoyed.



BOB STRILER



DON BABBITT



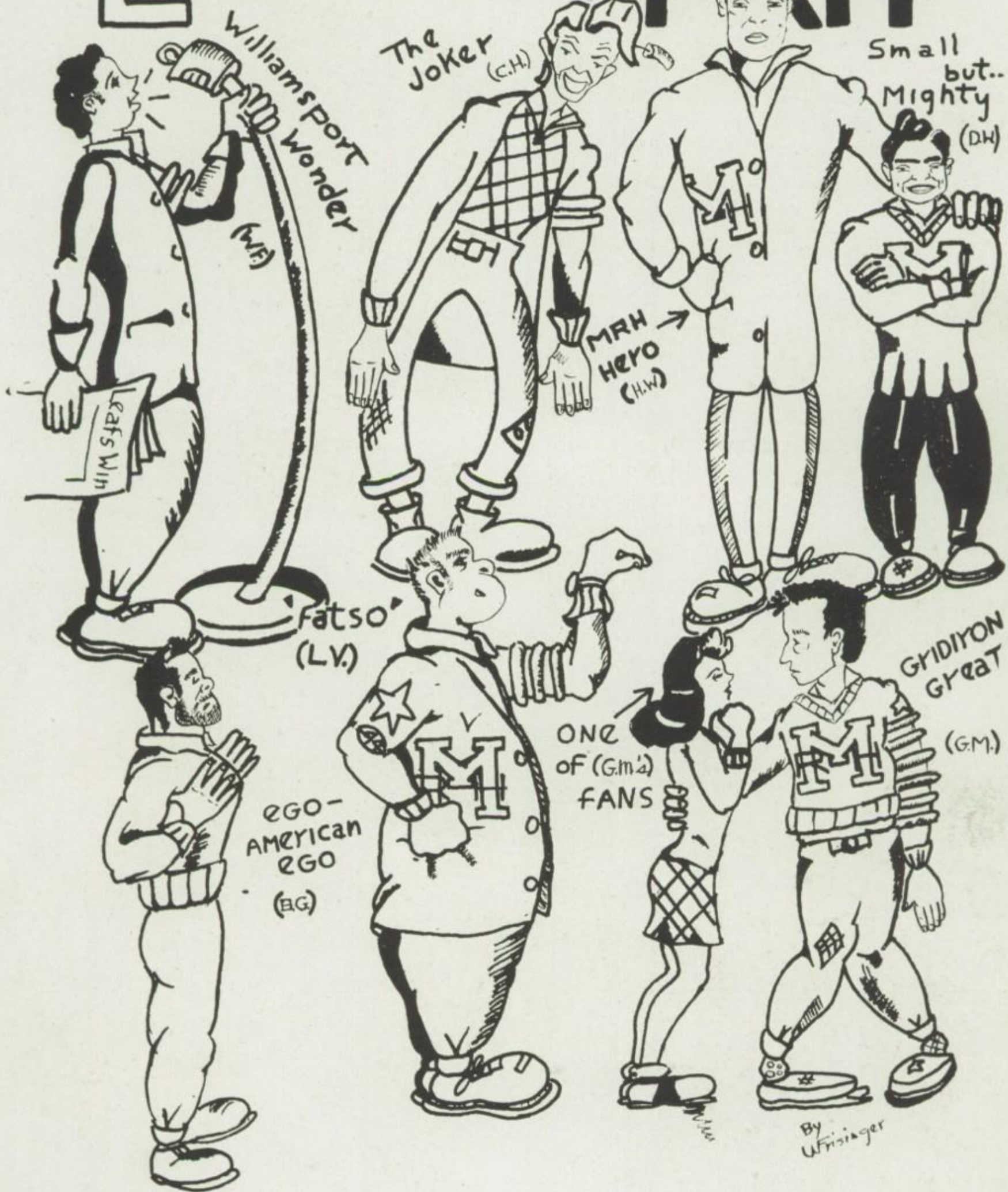
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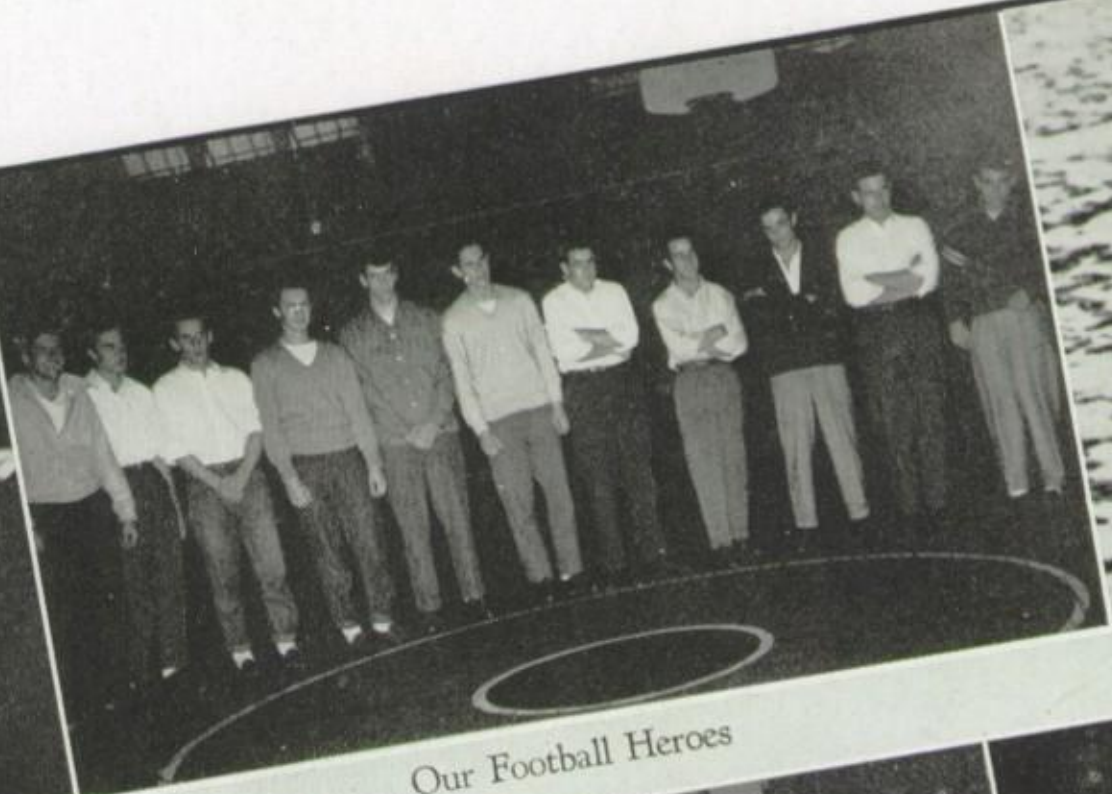
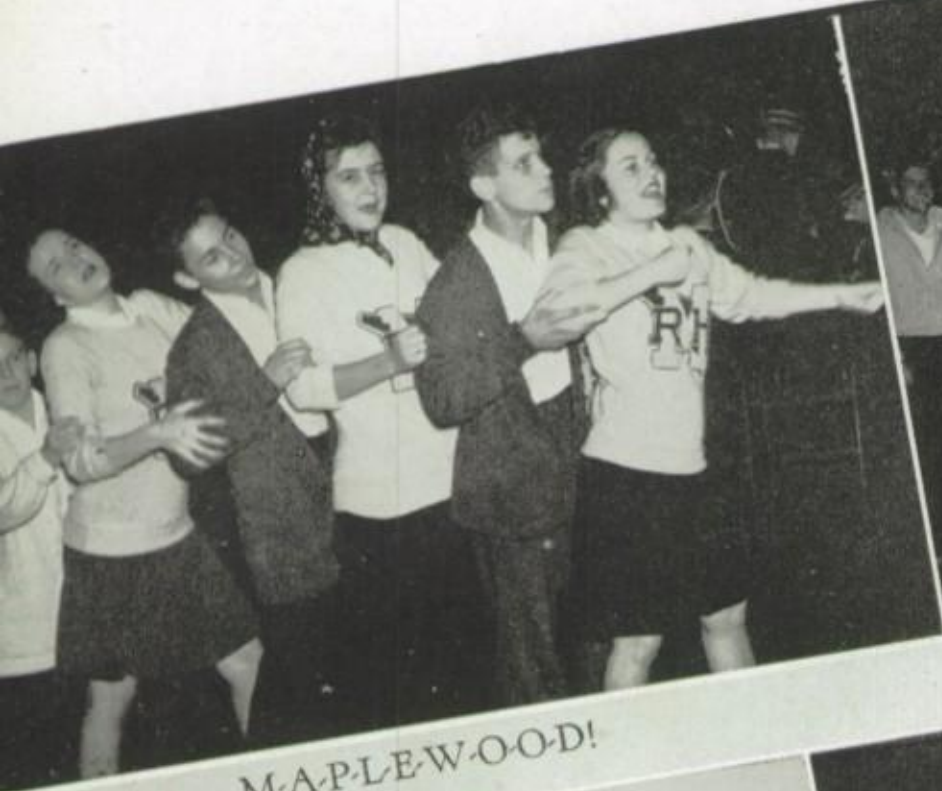
KEN WOLF

*Lots of
snaps for a
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Lettermen at MRH



This Year



Our Football Heroes



Merry Xmas!



Lunch Time



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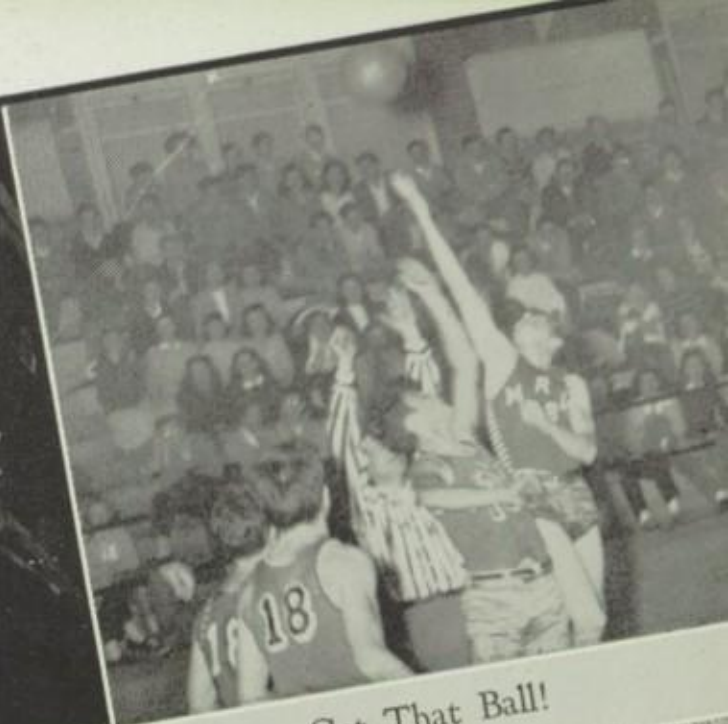




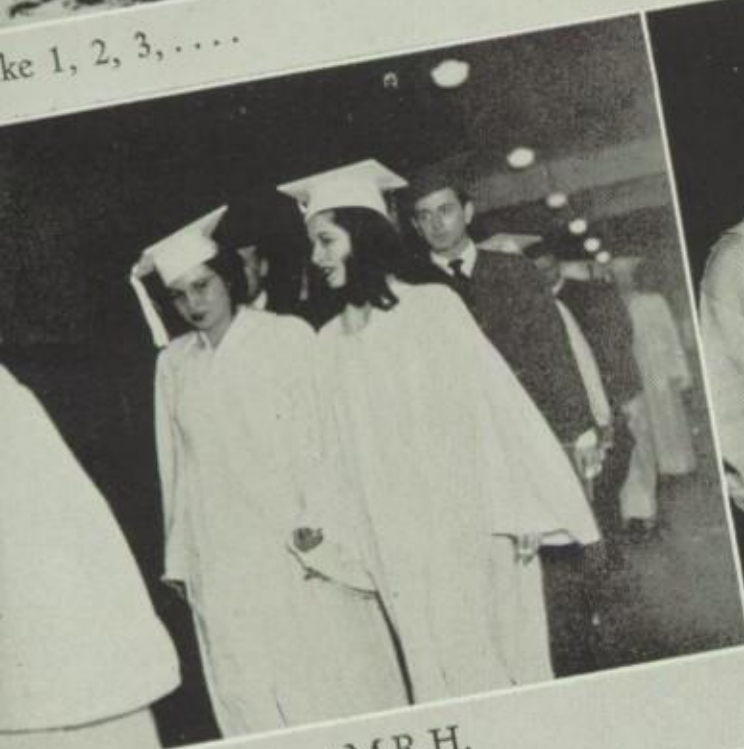
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That midnight curfew.
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Long hair and silver clips.
Our advising advisers.
Velvet hair bands and black suede flats.
Former M.R.H. fellows on furloughs around school.
The line-up for "good" candy bars at lunch time.
Doc Baillie with tales about his wife.
Endless streams of fellows leaving "Carrol's."
Peggy Hoel's treatment of a blues song.
Del's after-school-sessions for three tardies.
Dazzling gowns at the Junior-Senior Prom.
Post-war dreams of an auditorium.
Pink and fuchsia lipstick.
Mr. Brown's straight face 'n' solid boogie.
Those heated lunch table discussions.
Bud Emmons snapping scenes around M.R.H.
G.A.A. Banquet—sobs and hankies galore.
Mr. Vossbrink eying his flock between classes.
Perry Como's recordings.
The long climb between first and fourth floor.
Yellow slips that say "report at once to ——."
The inhabitants of the west wall.
The bugle at 8:35 every morning.
Other variations of "Rum 'n' Coca-Cola."
Miss Sharp's wardrobe.
Mr. Adams—his quiet dignity.



On a diet?

Careful, there!

A smile that won't come off!

What goes on here?

Campus cuties

Fashion plates!!!

Diggin's good

Paging "Powers"

Well, I'll tell you—

Pals

Pair in prints

Day dreamin'

Hold that smile

Dress parade

Tricky

Waitin' for a pick-up?

Just relaxin'

Bottoms up

Meditation



We don't admit we know them

Ladies in white

What'cha doing, Kelly?

Make that touchdown!

Miss Americas

Short-suited

Good ol' days of gas

Eek! (look below)

A jaw-breaker

You asked for it!

Want a ride?

Horrors!

Seiler and Seiler

Time out

Hold it!

"Sophs"



Eyin' you

Guess who?

He started early

Pony Express

Happy?

Ridin' cowboys

Short stuff

Bow-catcher

Dottie

Little shots

Mona Lisa

Bangs are in

"Davie" in his chubby days

Well!

Tough, isn't it?

Jack, the Giant Killer

Times have changed

For goodness
sakes!!

Nice face!

Home On the Range

Dolly and I

Janet and Bobby Way back when

Sun bath



Our gang

Jr. Hi days

Pig tails

Why that smug grin?

Swing high

Oh, Jan!

Sweet, simple
and girlish

Field day

Waiting?

The joke's on you

A fish story

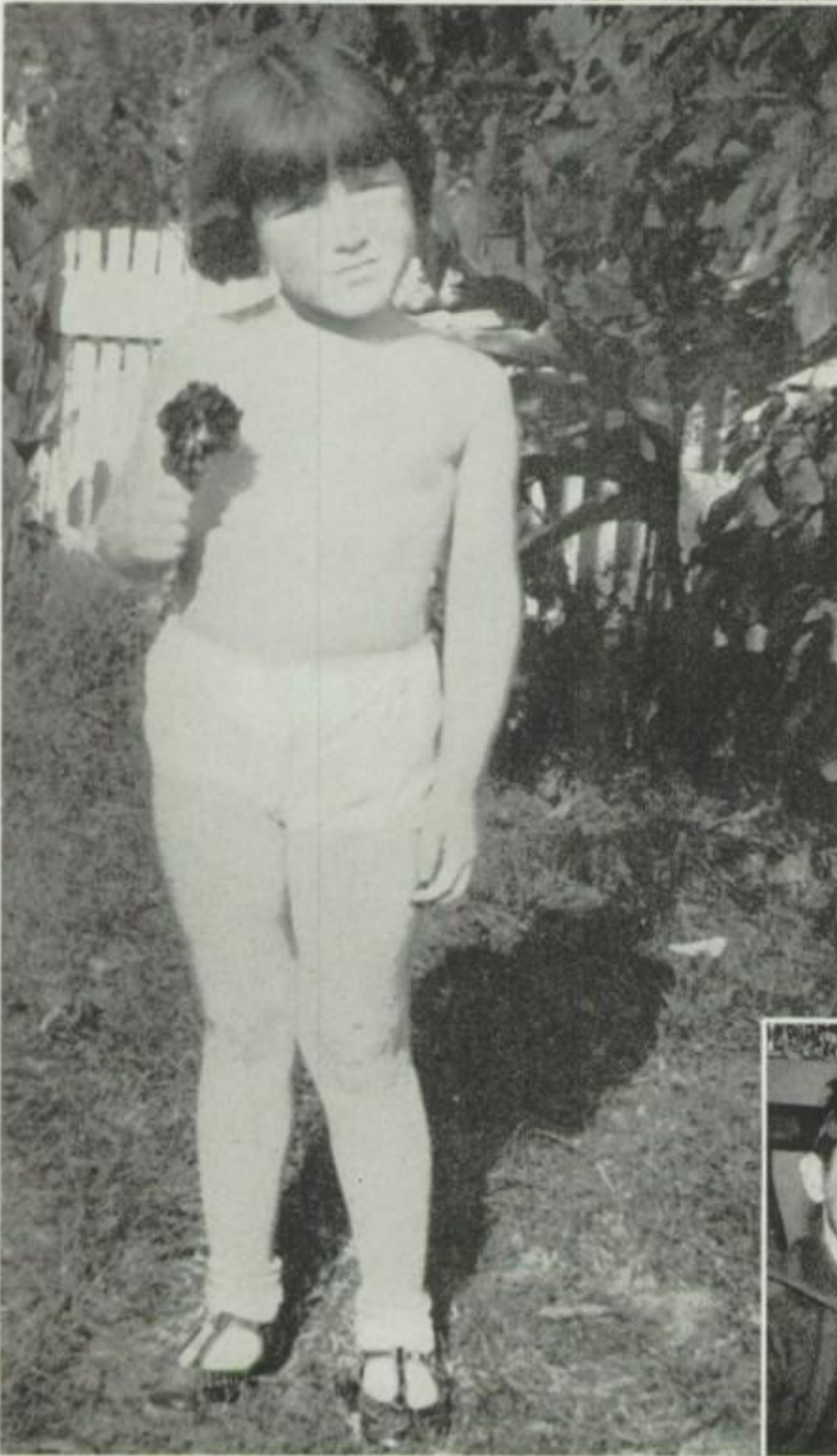
"Freshie"
Just taking off

Sons of M.R.H.
Art Hill?

Them were the days!

Lucky Jim

Little maids



Weren't they cute?

Aww Rog!!

"In my merry Oldsmobile—"
Big Catch

How times have changed!!

Please!!

" 'Twas the night before Xmas"—Miss M. R. H.

Wasn't that a
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Judy?

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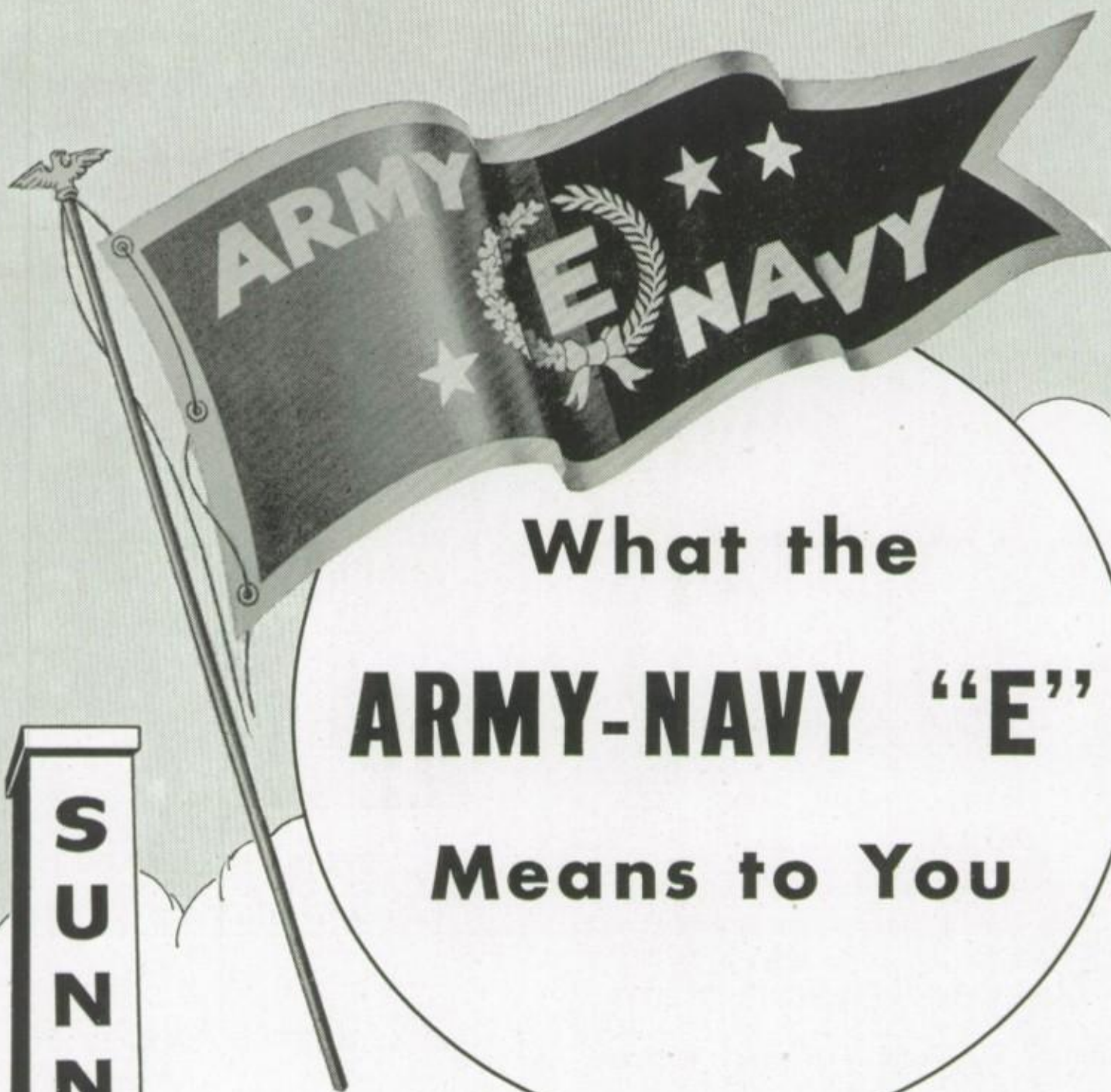
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We wish to take this space to tell the Faculty how much we have enjoyed our stretch—we mean our stay here. We hope they can say the same. Best wishes, BILL JONES VEL TURNER	
COMPLIMENTS OF A FRIEND	BEST WISHES TO M. R. H.



OUR RECORD'S FINISHED — WE'VE RECORDED THE SCORE;
THIS IS ALL — THERE ISN'T ANY MORE!

I shall
never forget
the way you
cooked
things.

Disbell
Harrow

Autographs

10 "Ked"
a real swell
girl.
George
Dobler

Lots of Luck
Jimmy ~~Winger~~

Best of luck always
Wick
your down cuts.

To a cute girl
and a swell friend
lots of luck
Don
Spiznagle

Lots of love and luck
to a girl I would like
to know better
Dave
Wind

To a darling girl
of luck
And. L. M. M. M.

To a redheaded bombshell
that is really cute
Jack
Keise

To a
Best
To the cutest freshman
Bill Rabbit

Look to a
swell looking
red head.

Bob & Steve
To a really swell girl
Bob Siefert

How good
will certainly go
to a lot that
you will

To a damn nice girl that I hope to see a lot more of in the coming months, Sonny

Autographs

Dear Alvin,
Really a darling really
going girl. You are high
Best of luck always.
Betty (Red)
Griffith

To a ^{sweet} small kid
Bill May

To a cute, nice
little girl,
Mary B

To a really cute
girl
Hank Rauch

lots of Luck
Jack R. J.

To a cute little
red head. Lots of luck
Rich. H. H. H. H. H.

lots of luck
from just an old
pilot in
(H.H.H.)
Dud

It's a sweet & sure get
as much you all the luck
in the world.
Love,
Wattson

To a small red head
Joe D.

Lots of luck to you,
Bob Johnson

Lots of luck & stuff
Bill Goody cat

Luck to a lil' doll sailor again
say who was that sailor
Janet H.

To Red
One of the best
who went to N.E.H.
Gene Sullivan

To a swell cute kid,
Betty Wolf

Lots of luck
to a swell girl
Barbara Finis

To a swell pal,
joyce & nibby

Lots of luck
Ed. Schubert

Lots of luck
Bud Overby

To a cute little red head
Dick

Lots of luck, Dick
Joe & Anne

Lots of luck
Joe & Anne

To a wonderful girl
Ruth Blodoe

"PET"

Thanks for the sweet time

at the dance

to a cute little
redhead who deserves
the best.
Jean Decker

Love.

Bob Decker

To another party
but I like you
lots of love
Bob Decker

To a darling
with red head.
Betty Lee Foss

To a girl
to a sweet girl
I love married

Hi Al,
To a darling and a very cute girl.
I hope we will stick to gether
through high school. You
have a wonderful personality
and keep that way.
Good luck always.
Be as sweet as
you are always.
I love a
maverick.
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Charles A.
Macco

To a cute redhead
Virginia Kendall

Arthur
"Latty"
Katt

Young & old. You're young
and young. Lots of love
from
Arthur



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